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GOV. FERGUSON IN MESSAGE OUTLINES WORK FOR BODY

By Associated Press.

Austin, Sept. 13.—The Senate was the first House to organize for the special session of the 39th Legislature, completing its organization in 30 minutes and adjourning until 2:30 o'clock to hear the communication on business, as proposed by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

Senators Wood, Bledsoe and Moore were appointed to inform the Governor that the Senate was organized.

The Senate opened with thirty members present. Ed W of Grayson county, elected at a special election September 4, being sworn in. J. Roy Hardin of Kaufman county was the only absentee.

James E. Strong of Panola county was elected president of the Senate pro tem, by a vote of 29 to 1.

Senator Bailey of DeWill introduced a concurrent resolution placing the Senate and House under the same rules, and it was adopted. A resolution placing the Senate special session under the same rules that governed the regular session presented by Senator John Davis of Dallas, also was adopted.

The House later completed organization and also recessed until 2:30 o'clock.

Of the 150 members of the House 135 were present. Thirteen new members were sworn in by the speaker, causing superstitious members to comment on the fact this "unlucky number" were being sworn in on the thirteenth of the month.

Miss Oveta Culp of Temple, the first woman parliamentarian of the House, was given an ovation when introduced by Speaker Satterwhite. Her short speech of appreciation also was applauded.

Will Probe State Departments.

By Associated Press. ....

Austin, Sept. 13.—Texas set out today to validate its obligations of about $100,000,000 in district road bonds, when the 39th Legislature convened at a called session of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

Both Houses met at noon to organize after which Governor Ferguson will send her communication which is expected to include bond validation, investigation of State departments, and a three cent gasoline tax to be used as revenue to be applied to the scholastic apportionment.

Several resolutions also have been prepared by members of the Legislature calling for investigation of State departments and repeal of the Federal inheritance taxes.

A resolution asking investigation of certain State departments that will be satisfactory to all members of the House supporting Dan Moody is being prepared, representative Alfred Petsch of Fredericksburg said Monday.

For a time it appeared Moody Supporters would split over whether an investigation should be authorized by the 39th Legislature.

Representative Petsch, who campaigned for Moody, would not divulge the author of the resolution, but indicated it would be the product of a number of the members.

Representative George C. Purl of Dallas said that 'at the proper time" he would introduce a number of simple resolutions calling for investigation of specific State departments.

Governor's Message.

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 3.—A fair and full investigation of State departments by the special session of the 39th Legislature was urged in Governor Miriam . Ferguson's message read in the House and Senate today.

The Governor pledged full co-operation and said that recently grave charges had been made of irregularities in certain departments that border upon malfeasance and corruption by State officials and that if there had been any official misconduct or corruption the peope have a right to know it.

As to the validation of $100,000,000 in road bonds, the primary cause for the called session, the Governor said that legislation passed by the session must meet with the requirements of the United States Supreme Court in the Archer county bond case or it would be without avail, and that it would not be of any benefit to the credit of the State.

Deficiency Paymens Asked.

The Governor asked payment of deficiencies amounting to $1,536,066,19 granted by herself and said that because on September 1, 1926, there was to the credit of the general revenue fund $7,514,578.70 that these deficiencies could be paid without inconvenience to the treasury.

She explained how the deficiencies were incurred and attached an itemized statement which showed that $577,000 was used in exterminating the hoof and mouth disease; $209,000 in tick eradication; $123,180 to Texas Technological College; $15,900 for the expenses of the regular session of the Legislature; $100,000 for University of Texas summer school; $96,000 for extra needs of Texas A. & M. College; $25,000 for the College of Industrial Arts; $116,000 for the State Teachers' College; $204,500 for

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WOMAN CLAIMS SHE WAS PAID TO HATCH UP STORY "MISS X"

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Sept. 13.—The Examiner in a copyrighted story today says Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman McDonald Sellaff, $18 a week seamstress, has confessed that her story of having shared a seaside cottage at Carmel, with a sister, the anonymous "Miss X" and Kenneth G. Ormiston, former Angelus Temple radio operator, was a fake for which she was to receive $5,000 from Aimee Semple McPherson, the evangelist.

Some time after Mrs. McPherson reappeared witnesses were found at Carmel, Cal., who said Ormiston had occupied a cottage at Carmel a part of the time that the evangelist was missing with a woman who lookked like Mrs. McPherson.

The admission was made in a sworn statement. Mrs. Sellaff began by stating that she was approached in San Francisco about July 30 by a man who gave his name as "Mr. Martin," and who asked her if she would come to Los Angeles on "some work which would pay good money and would only take a few weeks or not all of that time."

She said the man could give her only a few details but informed her that the work offered was in connection with the McPherson case She stated that she was instructed to send a telegram to District Attorney Asa Keyes at Los Angeles, declaring that her sister, who was in the East, had been with Ormiston at Carmel and that she had wired the sister to return immediately. The same day Keyes received a wire from San Francisco signed "Belle Owens." Mrs. Sellaff said she left that night for Los Angeles. Unable to reach Keyes over the telephone upon her arrival here, she said she went to Angelus Temple.

No One Knew Her.

"I had some time getting in because no one knew me, but I told them it was in regard to the Carmel case and that I had come to help Mrs. McPherson out," Mrs. Sellaff said.

"I talked with Mrs. Kennedy and Mr. Veitch, one of her attorneys," her statements continues.

"I could not tell them much because I did not know how to about it until I had some information. I met Mrs. McPherson for just a few minutes that day."

Mrs. Sellaff said she remained in town two days, during which time she went out to the Temple "quite a number of times," talking with Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. McPherson.

"During these two days I at no time talked with Mrs. McPherson alone, with the exception of just a moment when Mrs. McPherson told me it was all right and to go ahead," the woman related.

Would Be Well Paid.

"They told me to go ahead," she continued, "and they would pay all expenses and that if I could do this I would be well paid."

Mrs. Sellaff stayed in Los Angeles a few days longer, she stated and then left for San Francisco. "and got in touch with the young lady that she knew to be reliable to appear as "Miss X."

"The reason of Miss X being there was because Mr. Ormiston's wife was coming to Los Angeles to sue him for divorce and name Aimee Semple McPherson in the complaint, with a Miss X there, Mrs. Ormiston could not do this. I then came South and told Mrs. McPherson and her mother that I could get in touch with a Miss X and that, while it would take a little while to get all the facts of the case and to produce her, it would not be advisable to rush into it," Mrs. Sellaff said.

"Miss X" a Philadelphian.

She next went to Carmel and San Francisco to see if any of the persons who were reported to have seen Mrs. McPherson in the northern cities could identify her, according to the woman's story.

Mrs. Sellaff revealed the identity of the mysterious "Miss X" by saying she was a certain Miss Rachel Wells, a friend of long standing whom she induced to come to San Francisco from Philadelphia.

FLOGGINGS IN FLORIDA COUNTY WILL BE PROBED

By Associated Press.

Tallahassee, Fla., Sept. 13.—Governor Martin today called for an official investigation of floggings in Putnam county, which he said had numbered 63 during the last year.

"Two cold blooded murders were perpetrated without reason," the Governor said, "while women were beaten. I have received many letters from people asking me to take steps to break up such conditions, stating that the county was terrorized. Mobs formed a night to terrorize the community and citizens had to carry concealed weapons."

Putnam county lies in the northeastern part of the state within 40 miles of Jacksonville and its county seat is Palatka.

KLAN HOSTS GATHER IN WASHINGTON FOR MEET AND PARADE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 13. — The Knights of the Ku Klux Klan gathered today in the shadow of the dome of the Nations capitol for their third biennial convocation to be ushered in by a parade up Pennsylvania Avenue.

The demonstration promising to exceed the one held here by the organization last year, brought state and city delegates from all parts of the country, Panama and Alaska to elect an Imperial Wizard and other National officers, and to formulate policies for the coming year.

AGUINALDO WILL SUPPORT WOOD IN PHILIPPINE ACTS

By Associated Press.

Manila, Sept. 13.—General Emilio Aguinaldo is "for" Governor General Leonard Wood and doesn't care what anybody thinks about it.

The retired officer today told a gathering of Filipinos and the Filipino insurrection, of which he is president, that he intends to support Wood because he believes he has the best interest of the Filipinos at heart.

"SHOOT TO KILL" ORDER GIVEN TO RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS OF UNITED STATES

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Postoffice department employes were under orders today to "shoot to kill" to protect the millions of dollars in their care.

The command to the 22,500 railway mail clerks and the other employes of the department was determined upon yesterday by Postmaster General New at a council of war with his lieutenants as the result of the recent Illinois robbery in which bandits stole approximately $135,000 in currency.

It was indicated also that if the new order fails to protect the mails, the United States Marine Corps might be called upon, as it was late in 1921 when banditry was prevalent.

"It is self-evident," Second Assistant Postmaster General Glover stated in a communication to his men, 'that members of the underworld and bandit gangs throughout the United States again have thrown the gauntlet of battle to the railway mail service to hold up at every possible chance the postal cars and attempt to steal valuable registered packages. It means only this, that we must tighten our belts, place the holster easier of access, clean up our revolvers, be more careful in the protection of this valuable mail, with a more determined will 'to shoot to kill,' renew our pledge to protect the mail entrusted to our care."

INMATES TUBERCULAR HOSPITAL TENNESSEE PENITENTIARY ESCAPE

By Associated Press.

Nasivlle, Tenn., Sept. 13.—Eight convicts, confined in the tuberculosis hospital of the Tennessee penitentiary, using two guns, overpowered two guards, Sid Carr and A. E. Fodge and made their escape shortly before midnight Sunday. They cut the wires which surrounded the prison and climbed over the walls. Charlie Archer, one of the prisoners, was captured early this morning.

President Going Home.

By Associated Press.

Paul Smith's N. Y., Sept. 13.—This is "Going home week" at the Summer White House The President and Mrs. Coolidge will break camp either Friday night or Saturday, returning to Washington on the same special train that brought them to the Adirondacks early in July.

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Mohammedans and Hindus Fight.

By Associated Press

Allahabad, India, Sept. 13.—Two persons were killed and 21 injured today in rioting as a Hindu procession approached the Mohammedan Mosque. Most of the casualties were Hindus. The police stopped the rioting and restored order.

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SCHOOL DAYS.

It is a tribute to the educational system that something like three thousand pupils were assembled in the public schools of Corsicana today and started in the 1926-27 term with a smoothness that left not a few unaware, until they read about it in the newspaper, that the great mobolization had taken place. Of course in homes throughout the city in which there are children all the family of the age of understanding knew about the great event. In such homes the subject had been more or less discussed for weeks. Presently the county schools will be in session. And when the army of public school children throughout the Corsicana district is taken into consideration the idea of mobilization in one of the greatest activities of peace naturally will impress itself with still greater force.

Corsicana can take much satisfaction from the smoothness with which the vast number of children have been returned to their studies following the summer vacation.

The citizens of Corsicana are very proud of their school system which ranks second to none in the state. An unusually efficient and competent faculty under the direction of Mr. H. D. Fillers has accomplished much toward placing the public schools on a high plane and the modern buildings and equipment are pointed to with pride by every citizen of Corsicana.

TROUBLES OF A QUEEN.

The beautiful and unconventional Queen Marie of Roumania is evidently becoming more and more of a problem to the harassed gentlemen responsible for the government of her country. It appears that where her personal wishes are concerned he is more woman than queen.

Some weeks ago she advised her ministers that she would visit the United States this year. And that information was supplied the ministry without it first having been consulted by the queen. The result was that Marie's cabinet discovered certain good reasons why she should postpone her visit.

There have been some dynastic disturbances in Roumania. The ministers are having difficulty in balancing the national budget and there has been no little discontent with the present cabinet.

Should the queen make her triumphal tour of the United States in her official capacity there would be heavy expense for her government. Marie is not a lady of simple tastes, press agents to the contrary, and the embarrassed ministers, already struggling with inadequate taxes, would find their problems and their unpopularity multiplied. Just now the proposed expedition would be bad politics.

Queen Marie has ever offered to pay her own expenses, but her cabinet points out that even so the trip would be ill-advised, inasmuch as black bread is being served on the table of the Belgian royal pair.

In the end the woman will probably win, as women have a way of winning, but the queen may lose—as is becoming more and more the rule.

FEWER BUT LARGER COTTON GINS.

A marked decrease in the number of cotton gins operated in the South, but with a corresponding increase in the size of the plants to compensate for the decrease in numbers has been found by the Department of Agriculture in a study of gin operation practices and costs

The department's study has been confined thus far to North Central Texas, but conditions there are considered to be representative of a large part of the belt. The work has been undertaken by the department principally to determine the factors that influence efficiency in gin operation and the broad application of which should result in reducing waste in the industry.

In 1912 there were 28,358 gin plants in the Cotton Belt. By 1925 the number of gins had decreased to 18,262, but the gain in the size of plants as measured in total number of saws, according to department economists, has just about kept pace with the decrease in number of plants.

In 1906, the economists say, more than 50 per cent of the gin plants in the United States had less than 100 saws, but in 1919 less than 25 per cent were of this size. During the same period in Texas, gin plants of less than 100 saws declined from 16 per cent to less than 2 per cent of the total number in the State.

The study shows that the average cost of ginning per bale for 21 plants having a volume of 1,001 to 1,500 bales is $6.96; the average cost for 25 plants with volumes of 1,501 to 2,000 bales is $5.84 per bale; for 15 plants with volumes of 2,001 to 2,500 bales, $5.41; for 8 plants with volumes of 2,501 to 3,000 bales, $5.13; for 5 plants with volumes of 3,001 to 3,500 bales, $4.58. The weighted average for the 74 plants ginning a total of 141,666 bales is $5.70 per bale.

Of the 74 gin plants included in the study, 19 are four-stand plants, 40 are five-stand plants, and 15 are eight, nine, and ten-stand plants. In total number of saws the four-stand plants have an average of 301, the five-stand plants 370, and the double battery plants 646. The four-stand plants ginned an average of 22,090 hundredweight per plant, or approximately 1,500 bales; the five-stand plants ginned an average of 27,176 hundredweight or about 1,800 bales, and the double batteries ginned 38,767 hundredweight or about 2,600 bales per plant. The average for all plants was 28,220 hundredweight or approximately 1,900 bales.

The study revealed that the cost of ginning per hundredweight was highest for four-stand plants, and there was only a fractional difference in cost for five-stand and double battery plants, the farmer having a cost of 42.5 cents per hundredweight while the two last named had costs of 37.6 and 37.8 cents, respectively. It seems apparent, say the economists, that the volume of double batteries over that of five-stand plants is just sufficient to take care of the additional overhead required. With the same cost per hundredweight and a much larger total volume the profits earned will be much greater in the case of double batteries. The weighted average cost for the 2,000,000 hundredweight ginned by 74 plants was 38.7 cents per hundredweight.

Volume, it is pointed out, is unquestionably the principal factor in determining total costs per unit, yet the influence of practices which require more labor or more power between plants is partly responsible for individual plant cost variations. Thirty-seven plants used steam power at costs of from 11 cents to $1.31 per bale. Of the 37 plants, 11 were four-stand plants having a cost of from 15 cents to $1.31; 17 plants were of five-stands with costs of from 11 cents to 96 cents; 9 were double batteries with costs of from 40 cents to 93 cents per bale.

When the big oil operators get ready, that is if the wildcatter does not force them sooner, Navarro county will see one of the biggest oil development programs carried out ever attempted in this section of the mid-continent field. Oil operations are by no means a dead issue in this county and Navarro will be producing oil in great quantities long after the present generation has passed on. At the present the wildcatter is busily engaged in his occupation of attempting to uncover heretofore unknown lakes of liquid gold and at any time the drill may sink into a producing sand that will make discoveries of the past sink into insignificance. So long as the wildcatter is active there is always the possibility of other big producing oil fields.

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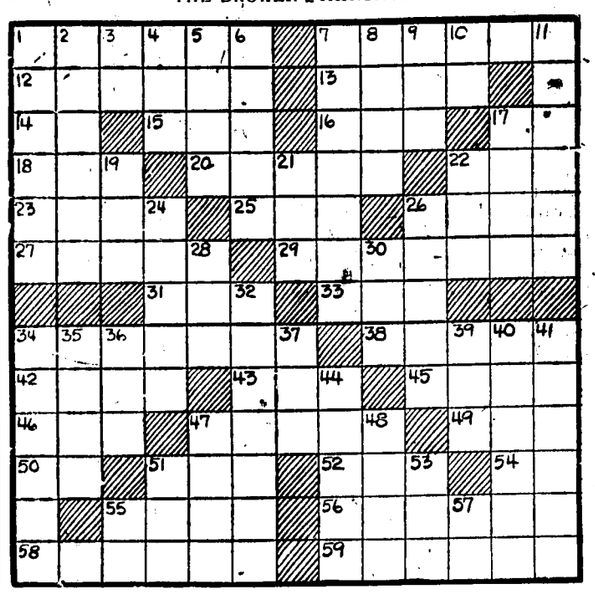
Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

THE BROKEN STAIRCASE



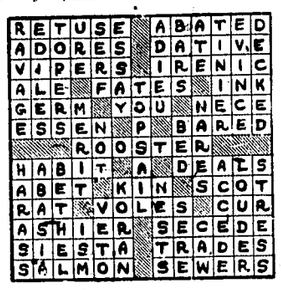
HORIZONTAL

1—burns
7—sever
12—a hurt
13—genuine
14—neuter pronoun
15—female deer
16—middle
17—note of diatonic scale
18—receive
20—claw
22—offer
23—circlet
25—relative
26—walking stick
27—deal with
29—represented
31—become bad
33—stem
34—entrance
38—danger
42—capably
43—pen point
45—air
46—grass
47—heavenly bodies
49—insect
50—masculine pronoun
51—distant
52—monkey
54—sun god
55—bill of fare
56—a gem
58—save
59—stepped

VERTICAL

1—slim
2—shooting star
3—like
4—relinquished
5—blow a trumpet
6—sly person
7—murmured
8—thin
9—organ of hearing
10—man's name
11—averted
17—splendid
19—pedal digit
21—top
22—flying mammal
24—to defend
26—heavenly body
28—to lug
30—short sleep
32—rage
34—one who dashes
35—wind instrument
36—aged
37—yes
39—to apply friction
40—habituated
41—embassador
44—boasts
47—normal
48—expectorated
51—pay
53—mistake
55—doctor's degree
57—negative

Herewith is the solution to Saturday's puzzle.



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HIGHWAY IMPASSABLE OVER TRINITY RIVER ROUTE EAST TEXAS

The Highway Department of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce gave out the following information regarding road conditions along the Bankhead Highway in Trinity river bottom Saturday morning.

"For the benefit of those who desire to cross Trinity river on the Corsicana-Tyler highway, it is stated that the water is now seven or eight inches over the tramway and still rising slowly. Cedar Creek is reported impassable at this time. Some few are making their way over Wildcat Ferry, but this is precarious. Those desiring to reach East Texas are advised to detour via Ennis and go over the Red Bank crossing.

Young Metcalf Wins Handicap Race On Rollers by Two Laps

One of the most exciting and probably one of the most interesting features ever staged in Kerens was handed to a large number of enthusiastic skating rink patrons Saturday night when Roy Edward Metcalf, 9-year-old brother of J. E. Metcalf, manager of the skating rink, defeated four others in a one mile handicap race on skates.

The race was announced the night before and set for 9:15 o'clock. There had been quite a number of names entered but only four reported. These were: Otis Lewis, Sidney Westbrook, Emmitt Ellington and Freddie Banks, all of Kerens. All of these entrants were older than Metcalf the youngest about 11, the oldest about 22.

Young Metcalf challenged the above young men, giving them as much distance in starting as one whole lap. All four opponents were passed in seven laps. Lewis was the first to lose his distance by a fall as he was rounding a corner. Banks was the second to experience this misfortune. In all, they were all good skaters, but nothing to compare with young Metcalf, who promises to be one of the foremost skaters of the country, having been pronounced by Tex Lloyd of Chicago, International Southwest fancy and trick skat champion as being the best boy skater of today.

The way he "rounded" each corner was amazing as well as thrilling, and we do not know of a single time that he let himself "skid" by an overbalancing of the body. He seems to have a perfect control, and well informed as how to master the little rollers.—Kerens Tribune.

FOR WORKING PEOPLE.

The best of workers get out of sorts when the liver fails to act. They feel languid, half-sick, "blue" and discouraged and think they are getting lazy. Neglect of these symptoms might result in a sick spell, therefore the sensible course is to take a dose or two of Herbine. It is just the medicine needed to purify the system and restore the vim and ambition of health. Price 60c. Sold by Inabnit Drug Co.

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EAST TEXAS WANTS MANY PICKERS FOR NEXT SEVERAL WEEKS

Longview, Texas, Sept. 11.—Approximately 7,000 pickers are needed now in the East Texas cotton fields, requests to the East Texas Chamber of Commerce from 10 counties show.

Houston county alone estimates its need at 3,000. Hill wants 1,000; Grimes 1,000 and a shortage of pickers was reported from Waller, Camp, Freestone, Brazos, Trinity, and Titus counties.

Several counties, however, indicated they expect a surplus supply of labor, and arrangements have been made to place inquiries for labor in touch with authorities in the counties which have a surplus.

To the Voters of Navarro County:

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to those who supported me at the primaries in my candidacy for the office of ounty Clerk of Navarro county, and regret sincerely, that I cannot meet each one of you, and thank you personally for your loyal support.

I have the satisfaction of knowing that I ran my race on my own merits and qualifications, and that my support came from those who knew of, and appreciated my efforts to serve the public for the past ten years. Very gratefully,

MRS. LOUISE E. HERVEY.

Farmers Want Column

Rates—One cent a word for each insertion. Count your words, send ad to this office, giving number of times you want it to run, together with check or money order to cover cost. No ad taken for less than 25 cents. Cash must accompany each ad.

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PROBE BEING MADE ABUSE VAGRANCY LAW SOUTHWEST TEXAS

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 10.—Evils of the free system and abuse of the vagrancy law are seen back of two complaints received here by C. W. Woodman, in charge of the United States Labor Bureau here, he said Friday.

South Texas counties are involved in charges made by laborers at Raymondville and Sinton. A letter forwarded from the Department of Labor at Washington, written by Mark Parker, in jail at Sinton, stated that Parker had been recruited at Texarkana, Ark., to pick cotton for a man at Taft, Texas, which was to average three quarters of a bale to the acre at $1.25 a hundred with transportation one way refunded to those who remained until the crop was gathered. On arrival at Taft, Parker and others were refused employment by the man supposed to have hired them and the labor agency then sold the cotton pickers in bunches to farmers, the letter declared.

Being placed on a farm where the cotton averaged only a quarter of a bale, Parker quit and went to another farm where better wages were offered. He then found himself arrested for swindling, he said.

Complaints of Weslay Lynch that laborers at Raymondville are being arrested and fined the amount of their earnings are being investigated by Woodman's agents, but no report has yet been made to him or the department at Washington, he said.

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WOMAN IS INJURED WHEN HIT BY AUTO SATURDAY NIGHT

While crossing Beaton street at Collin Saturday night about midnight the car driven by J. R. Nealy of Purdon struck Mrs. A. Caldwell of Dallas and knocked her down. It was stated she was removed to the hospital with what were considered minor hurts.

School of Nursing Opens For New Term

The Navarro County Hospital School of Nursing opened Monday for the fall and winter term. Classes will be conducted regularly for student nurses. Lectures will be given by local doctors from time to time in connection with the textbook study.

"Corsicana Has It."

BONDSMAN SAYS HE PAID BRIBES CHIEF AND JUDGE.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Sept. 11.—Charges that Harry S. Roberts, police judge, and Frank M. Wisdom, chief of police accepted bribes from him are contained in affidavits made to Charles B. Griffith, attorney general of Kansas, by Alexander Apple, professional bondsman. The affidavits were made public today by Griffith.

The sworn statements brought the name of Police Judge Roberts into the investigation of law enforcement conditions here for the first time.

The affidavits will be sent to Topeka to become a part of the record in the attorney general's ouster suit against Mayor W. W. Gordon. Mr. Grifith said, and will be filed in the Supreme Court as a part of the ouster evidence.

The affidavits named Mayor Gordon as having knowledge of the alleged transactions between Apple and Chief Wisdom and Judge Roberts, but did not list the mayor as one of those accepting bribes.

Mayor Gordon and Judge Roberts denied the statements made by Apple. Judge Roberts said he never had been paid any money by Apple and that at the proper time he could prove the accusation false.

Mayor Gordon said he was prepared to answer the allegations made by Apple when the motion to suspend him from office is called in the Supreme Court at Topeka next Wednesday.

Chief Wisdom's attorney said he had instructed the chief not to make a statement at this time.

Apple, who faces trial on charges of attempting to bribe police officers here, has turned State's evidence in the investigation being conducted by the attorney general.

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COURT HOUSE NEWS.

From Saturday's Daily:

Sheriff's Office.

A white man was arrested and turned over to county officers Friday on a charge of theft. The arrests was made by City Officers Ruff Tickle and Bruce Nutt. He is in the county jail.

Justice Court.

Judge J. J. Sullivan fined two on charges of violating the highway laws.

Mineral Deeds.

Mrs. O. A. Williams to T. O. Lofland. 1-64th interest in 42.03 acres of the A. J. Joplin survey. $75.

W. C. Windsor to C. W. Taylor, et al., 1-256th interest in 99.31 acres of the Wm. Bartell veys $100 and other considerations.

Oil and Gas Leases.

J. P. Hamilton, et ux., to Robert D. Goodrich, 50 acres of the Wm. Bartwell and L. Powell surveys $1.00 and other considerations.

J. P. Hamilton, et ux., to Robert D. Goodrich, 253 1-2 acres of the Wm. Bartell and L. Powell surveys. $100 and other considerations.

Q. W. Blankenship, et al., to Robert D. Goodrich, 184.43 acres of the Wm. Bartell survey. $10 and other considerations.

John T. Brown, et ux., to Robert D. Goodrich, 100 acres of the Wm. Bartell survey. $10 and other considerations.

M. T. Holley, et ux., to Robert D. Goodrich, 99.31 acres of the Wm. Bartell survey. $10 and other considerations.

W. A. Walthal et ux, to W. F. Eckhardt, 29.6 acres of the Turner Smith survey. $888.

Marriage Licenses.

Ernest Paul and Mattie Hornsby.

B. F. Bruce and Lillian Vickers.

Births.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Bolden, Hubbard R. 4, September 8, a son.

Aged Bazette Woman Buried Yesterday

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Sept. 11.—Mrs. J. C. Sims, aged 76 years, died at her home north of Kerens near Bazette Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment was at the Prairie Point Cemetery Friday at 3 p. m. She is survived by two sons, Tom and John Sims of Kerens, and two stepdaughters, Mesdames Albritton of Tell, Texas, and of Anderson county.

Baptist Workers Conference at Rice

Following is the program of the Navarro County Baptist Workers' Conference, Sept. 17, at Rice.

10 a. m.—Business meeting.

Report from the field.

The dollar per member campaign. Shall we put it on in this Association? If so, how? Church attendance. How can we increase it?

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COUNTY NEWS

POWELL.

Special to the Sun.

Powell, Texas, Sept. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Killingsworth have returned to their home in Sulphur, Oklahoma, after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Killingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. McAfee of Emmett were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Miller recently.

Miss Elizabeth Callicutt of Corsicana was a visitor in Powell on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Towns visited relatives in Dallas last week.

Miss Helen Killingsworth has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Fred Rawlinson of Corsicana.

Miss Etta Mae Christian is visiting in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott and little daughter were in Dallas Friday and Saturday.

Powell public schools will commence Monday, Sept. 13. Mr. Dan Hanks will be superintendent, assisted by Mrs. Bert Miller, Miss Smith and Miss Young of Kerens, Miss Sanders of Frost and Miss Eliabeth Callicutt of Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ficklin spent Sunday in Malakoff and Trinidad.

Mr. and Mrs. David Langston were in Corsicana Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Anderson of Trinidad spent Sunday in Powell.

Mr. W. E. Stephenson was in Corsicana Wednesday transacting business.

Mrs. Fit Kenner and Mrs. Wheeler Miller were shoppers in Corsicana last Thursday.

DAWSON.

Special t othe Sun.

Dawson, Texas, Sept. 11.—Mrs. A. L. Edwards was a Corsicana visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. A. E. Wright of Ennis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dickson this week.

Mrs. J. B. Sawyers and daughters Misses Leola and Jewell, were Corsicana visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. A H. Harrison and little daughter Jo Fay of Beaumont, came in Monday for a visit with relatives.

Miss Iley Berry left Saturday for Panhandle where she will teach during the coming school term.

Miss Leora Keeton was a Corsicana visitor Monday.

Haden H. Farmer returned to Beaumont Thursday to resume his work as teacher in the Beaumont public schools.

Mrs. W. G. Coggins and daughter, Mary Frances of Corsicana are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ponder and family, Mrs. J. C. Edwards and Miss Katholine Edwards were Waco visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Garner of Waco spent several days of this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Roberts.

Mr. Charlie Davis and daughter Miss Lola of Denton visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

PURDON.

Special to the Sun.

Purdon, Texas, Sept. 11.—On Tuesday afternoon while cranking a Ford car Almon Ellis had the misfortune of getting his arm broken.

Mrs. J. N. Shêperd is spending the week in Corsicana.

J. A. Griffin is here from Robstown visiting his brother B. K. Griffin.

Neal Beck was here this week from Greenville.

Mrs. Arthur Keeling of Dallas is visiting her father J. H. Farrold this week.

W. D. Owens was here from Kerens one day last week.

Emon French and wife were week end visitors to Malakoff.

Geo. McElwrath was a business visitor to Dallas last Thursday.

Jno. Darden and family spent Sunday in Corsicana.

Wendell Farrald of Dallas spent Sunday and Monday here.

Dr. W. R. Russell was here over Saturday night from Tyler on professional business. Dr. Russell was formerly a resident of this place, and it is rumored that he will soon move back here.

Adrain Dowdle left Friday for Waco to attend the Institute this week.

Mr. Dowdle will begin his school at Clifton next week.

Mrs. S. H. French spent Sunday and Monday visiting in Corsicana.

Lee Jayroe and family, W. J. Howard and J. M. Dempsey were Corsicana visitors Monday.

Autrey Howe French and Edgar Adkins went to the Nigger Creek oil field Tuesday afternoon.

H. C. Russell and wife attended the Baptist Association at Kerens Wednesday.

Miss Dora Lee Freeland of Dawson, was a guest of Mrs. T. M. Key Wednesday.

The family of J. H. Ford moved to Corsicana Tuesday where they will reside in the future.

Thos. Ellis and wife of Cleburne are spending the week with W. T. Darden and family.

MALAKOFF WOMAN DIED HERE FRIDAY NIGHT IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Myrtle Ross, aged 20 years, of Malakoff, died at the Navarro County Hospital Friday evening at 8:10 o'clock and the remains were shipped to Malakoff Saturday on the morning eastbound Cotton Belt train for interment.

She is survived by her husband, parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dodson, a brother, J. B. Dodson of Corsicana and a number of other relatives.

OLD MAIN HOTEL BUILDING IS TORN COMPLETELY AWAY

The old Main hotel building is now leveled to the ground and workmen are busy clearing away the last rubbish. Rapid progress was made in razing the old building. The last part of the standing structure was torn away Saturday.

The flooring and parts of the brick and mortar are being hauled away as rapidly as workmen can get it off the premises.

The lot will soon be cleared completely and ready for the excavation work to start for the new buildings Mr. Davis is putting up.

The passing of the old structure is the downfall of one of Corsicana's old landmarks that has given way to better improvements within the last few years.

SEVERAL TESTS FOR OIL SCHEDULED MADE IN NAVARRO COUNTY

Navarro county is to get a couple more wildcat tests within the near future, according to present plans of oil men.

Carrita Oil & Gas Company will drill on the Tramel tract, northeast of Bazette, and the Carter & Lytle interests will drill on the Zeb Burke tract, north of Roane. Negotiations are also under way for drilling a well on the Edens tract south of Corsicana. This will be on acreage belonging to Wood Stanley.

The P. M. Lea test northwest of Corsicana has been inactive for the past several days. The Osborne test near Tupelo has also been shut down for some time. A test is being made of the 1,600 foot sands in the Absher et al test at Oak Valley located on the Mrs. T. P. Little tract.

The Trinity sand test of the Sun Oil Company at Richland will hold considerable interest as the bit goes down. Sun Oil Company is also understood to have closed a deal for a deep test on the tract of the Corsicana National Bank between Richland creek just west of the main highway.

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HOTLY CONTESTED ELECTION RECOUNT DECIDED BY COURT

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 11.—Sheriff Schuyler Marshall, Jr., seeking renomination, was declared to have been nominated at the July 24 primary over Allen Seale by Judge McCallum in the Dallas County District Court today. The court held that Marshall had 69 more votes that Seale. The figures the court said were 18,559 for Marshall, and 18,490 for Seale.

The court room and corridors of the court house were crowded with friends of both Marshall and Seale when the decision was announced. Although feeling had been running high during the recount and hearing, the ruling was received in silence by both sides.

Seale by the count of votes reported by precinct election officials had 124 more than Marshall. Marshall contested, and a recount was started August 16. Sensational charges and counter charges were made in voting, alleged tampering and changing of ballots. A grand jury investigation of that phase of the case was ordered.

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ANDREW G. STEELE.

THREE MEETINGS OF METHODIST LAYMEN CORSICANA DISTRICT

Three great Laymens Rallies will be held within the bounds of the Corsicana District at 3 o'clock p. m., Sunday, 19th of September. The several charges of the District have been conveniently grouped around Eleventh Avenue, Corsicana; First Church, Mexia, and Blooming Grove, where the meetings will be held.

These meetings will be in charge of laymen and the addresses will be delivered by laymen. The meetings will be inspirational in character and purpose. Their aim is to deepen the interest of the laymen in all the work of the church. Every layman in the district is urged to attend one of these meetings. It is expected that each group meeting will be largely attended and that great good will result.

JNO. M. BARCUS, P. E.
A. G. ADAIR, Lay Leader.
S. J. JACKSON, Lay Leader.
D. S. McKINNEY, Lay Leader.

DAWSON MAN DIES RESULT TRUCK WRECK NEAR MEXIA FRIDAY

Special to the Sun.

Mexia, Texas, Sept. 11.—Burial services were conducted at Dawson, Navarro county, Saturday afternoon for George Tekell, aged about 42, who was almost instantly killed near Mexia late Friday when a truck he was driving got beyond his control and turned over, the wheels passing over the upper part of his body.

He was employed by a road building contractor and was hauling material for the Mexia- Point Enterprise road. Decedant is survived by a wife and two children.

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BLOOMING GROVE MASS MEETING FOR COUNTY'S PROGRESS

Special to the Sun.

Blooming Grove, Sept. 11.—Intense enthusiasm marked the county-wide mass meeting held here Friday afternoon to work out a program of benefit to the county. Speakers alluded to good roads, a junior college, county fair, better farming, and restocking the county with livestock to meet the demands of farmers along this line.

The meeting was held under the big tabernacle. F. H. Simpson, of Blooming Grove, presided. C. O. Weaver of Dawson was secretary.

J. R. Griffin, Blooming Grove banker, made a short address of welcome to those who had come from other parts of the county outside of Blooming Grove. Several towns in the county were represented, and the crowd that assembled in the tabernacle numbered about 400. At 2 o'clock Pilot Pedley, Daily Sun aviator, flew over the town, did a number of aerial stunts, and dropped a big bomb that exploded in mid-air calling attention to the time of meeting. Another bomb was dropped which released a flag held by a parachute that wound its way slowly to the ground, falling in the center of the main business street.

Automobiles were parked about town and in the vicinity of the tabernacle for an hour before meeting time. Many women were among the audience, and took an active interest in the matters brought up for discussion.

Speakers were J. R. Griffin, C. L. Jester, Corsicana; Professor S. W. Henderson, Blooming Grove; A. A. Allison, Judge Warren Hicks, Dr. B. W. D. Hill, Dawson; J. S. Callicutt, E. L. Dupuy, V. T. Matthews, J .B. Ingle, John C. Beck, Congressman Luther A. Johnson, J. L. Halbert and W. Roy Christian, secretary-manager of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Blooming Grove Business Men's Luncheon Club, and was called pursuant to a resolution adopted some time ago to take up and discuss the vital needs of the county. Another similar meeting will be held either at Rice or Kerens in the near future to further give attention to pressing matters in which the whole county is vitally interested.

Following Mr. Griffin's address of welcome, C. L. Jester of Corsicana, made a brief talk in which he stated the purposes of the meeting. He recalled that Blooming Grove was among the early towns of the county to spring up, and reminded his hearers that it was only a few miles south of Old Dresden, where the first postoffice in Navarro county was established in 1844, and was the home of many of the sturdy and earlier pioneers. Then people traveled in ox-carts with no roads to speak of, that living was slow, but had modern methods of transportation been in use then, the people would have adopted them. Progress has made a more thickly settled country, the ox-cart gave way to the horse and buggy, and the horse and buggy and wagon have given way to the automobile and the motor truck. This brings up a question of good roads. To get the best out of the present day modes of transportation, good roads are a necessity, he pointed out. But that was not all, he spoke of the progress in education and school facilities. He declared that older people well remember the old log school house by the road with its split log seats and dirt floor. This also has been replaced by better houses, desks and longer terms of school. However, he declared the people should not become self-satisfied, but work for more and still better schools.

Professor Henderson spoke at some length on the junior college. He said that a junior college is badly needed in this county, centrally located where the 200 high school graduates each year could attend. This would bring the junior college to the pupils and they could attend it while staying at home. This was urged as an economic measure, as well as for its wide-reaching cultural effect.

A. A. Allison spoke for a few minutes on the junior college, and made a forcible appeal for the consideration of the people interested. The junior college would be highly beneficial to students going to the universities, in that the jump from high school to university is too great, and many students fail in their university work for lack of the college work, it was said. The teaching cost per pupil in the university, which is already overcrowded, is $400 a year, it was said. This does not include the high cost of living away from home.

Judge Hicks made a statement of the road taxes in the districts of the county. There are fifteen road districts in the county, with bonded indebtedness owed by thirteen of them. A total of $949,664.77 is owed by these districts on bonds outstanding, he said, and the average tax rate is 64 cents. The lowest road tax rate is in road district one, surrounding Corsicana, which is thirty cents, and the highest district tax rate is $1.75, in the Pursley district.

Daily district road tax rate is 35 cents; Frost, 60 cents; Dawson, 35 cents; Montfort, 60 cents; Blooming Grove, 60 cents; Kerens, 35 cents; Buffalo, 80 cents; Richland, 50 cents; Rice, 75 cents; Pursley, $1.75; Winkler, $1.40.

Judge Hicks pointed out that there is a good deal of land not included in any road district, and about one-half of the oil field section was without a road district, and all lands not included in a road district are escaping taxes for roads. A county-wide bond issue would include all the lands within the borders of the county, it was explained.

Last year the tax rolls amounted to $57,000,000 taxable renditions in this county, but the tax rolls for this year have not yet been approved. No doubt it will be $50,000,000 or more. Judge Hicks said a bond issue of $3,000,000 could be taken care of with a fifty cents tax levy.

Judge Hicks explained that the county tax rate this year is 45 cents, the same as last year, and is distributed 25 cents to the road and bridge fund and 20 cents to the general fund.

Dr. B. W. D. Hill was called on to speak for Dawson, but he declined on account of being physically weak from recent confinement in a hospital. He has been under treatment and had not sufficiently regained his strength to make a talk.

J. S. Callicutt made a short speech saying that the roads in the county are not what they should be, and that he was in hopes a good system of highways would be built. He deplored that Navarro county should not be abreast with any other county in roads. Mr. Callicutt spent his early boyhood in old Blooming Grove in the ox-cart days, and he made humorous reference to the early times in the county and the progress that has been made.

Congressman Luther A. Johnson and J. L. Halbert also made reference to the progress of the county, and made pleas for continued progress that would make Navarro county abreast with any of them in schools, roads, churches and farming.

Mr. Halbert, chairman of the agricultural committee of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce, suggested that a move be started at once where the banks of the various towns and the Chamber of Commerce underwrite the buying of stock hogs to be shipped into the county and sold to the farmers. He called attention that this is being done in other towns. He mentioned that the farmers are without hogs on the farm, and the big feed crop this year made a new demand for hogs. The bankers present were heartily in favor of such a move.

Plans will be worked out whereby young sows can be brought into the towns of the county and sold to the farmers at a price not prohibitive.

W. Roy Christian spoke on the aims of the Chamber of Commerce and urged the farmers to use the services offered by his organization.

J. B. Ingle urged that a permanent county fair be organized. He was enthusiastic concerning the question of good roads, junior college and county fair.

The meeting lasted two hours. The interest was keen, and all were in favor of the propositions brought forth. Good roads, junior college, county fair, better farming and restocking the farms with hogs.

BOULEVARD STOP ORDINANCE BEING ENFORCED BY CITY

There were numerous local citizens who faced Judge Melear in corporation court Saturday morning and paid the sum of $5 for the privilege of crossing Fifteenth street without stopping as the law directs. This is a recent law and it is stated by the authorities that it will be rigidly enforced and that drivers of autos may as well learn this at once and save themselves money and ruffled feelings.

In addition one charge of theft, one charge of being drunk, one charge of disturbing the peace, one charge of speeding were taken care of.

BURSTING OF LEVEE NEAR MABANK FLOODS HIGHWAY TO EAST

By Associaed Press.

Kerens, Texas, Sept. 11.—Bursting of a levee near Mabank let Cedar Creek overflow lowland and highways. About 1800 acres of cotton in good condition was inundated.

State highway number 31, going through Corsicana and Kerens to Malakoff and Athens is under water for about a mile and impassable. The Trinity river bottom road can not be traveled because of high water, and if the river continues to rise the toll tramway will be unable to care for traffic it was reported here.

Sims Corn Mill

Ready for business, across from Hughes Transfer, corner 6th Ave., and Commerce Street, Corsicana.

BOMB EXPLODED AGAINST PREMIER'S CAR IN ROME STREET

By Associated Press.

Rome, Sept. 11.—Another attempt has been made on the life of Premier Mussolini.

A bomb was exploded against the Premier's car. Musolini escaped unhurt. The attack occurred a little after ten o'clock this morning, while Mussolini's automobile was proceeding toward the Chigi Palace. A young man named Ermete Giovannini, a stone cutter, threw a bomb against the car.

The bomb struck a side window of the car but fell to the earth before it exploded, and the automobile proceeded. The explosion was terrific, and four passers by were wounded. They were taken to a hospital.

The National directorate of the Fascist party, announcing that "God has once again saved Mussolini for Italy," issued an appeal that there be no reprisals.

Bomb Thrower Arrested.

Giovannini was immediately arrested by police agents escorting the Premier's automobile. He said he had arrived in Rome today from abroad, and that he came into Italy through the Alps, being unable to travel by the usual routes as he was without passports or identifying documents.

The assassin is a native Italian, he told the police.

The authorities believe his journey to Italy was financed and directed by groups of self-exiled anti-Fascists, notably in Lyons and Paris. They point out that the Paris anti-Fascist paper Corriere De Gli Italiana several days ago launched an anti-National campaign with the slogn: "Italians: Boycott Italian goods."

Attack Kept Secret.

Government measures to keep news of the attack secret to avoid disorders were immediately taken and were so successful that virtually no one on the streets had the slightest idea late this morning that a third attempt had been made against the Premier within the space of a year.

In journalistic and political circles where the news wes known, however, there were knots of excited talkers.

The Italian Premier is no stranger to attempts upon his life.

The last previous attack was made on April 7, just before his departure to Tripoli when Miss Violet Gibson, an English woman, fired a shot which caused a slight injury to the tip of his nose. She was adjudged mentally irresponsible.

Another attempt was frustrated in November, 1925, when the police discovered a plot to assassinate him by the former Socialist deputy Tito Zaniboni.

On Italy's armistice day as he was on his way to make his speech from his residence, Zaniboni was found concealed in a nearby hotel with a rifle furnished with telescope sights. He was arrested with his equipment just in time. He is still in prison awaiting trial.

The press of Europe from time to time printed circumstantial reports of other attempts to assassinate him but these were followed by official denials.

Mob Threatens Assassin.

A mob which threatened Giovannini, followed him and his police escort to the police station, in front of which a demonstration was staged.

Demonstrations were also formed in other parts of the city, as the news became known, with the object of parading to the Chigi Palace and rendering homage to Musaolini.

Excitement reigned as the news spread, and the remark was heard on all sides that Il Duce was guarded by a special providence against which his enemies were helpless.

Police and militiamen heavily reinforced in the center of the city and the impromptu parades were broken up as they approached the Palace, with the terse explanation that the Premier was not favorable to a demonstration there.

Diplomats Pay Homage.

A constant stream of automobiles arrived at the Palace, bringing messages of felcitation. The diplomats who called included the American Charge D'Affairs, Warren D. Robbins.

A proclamation issued by the Fascist directorate to all the members of the party was widely circulated. It read:

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While the police broke up organized demonstrations, a great crowd gathered before the Chigi Palace, hoping Mussolini would appear on the balcony.

Pope Pleased at Failure Assassin.

By Associated Press.

Rome, Sept. 11.—"Thank God his life has been saved," was the comment of the Pope when informed of the attempt on the life of Premier Mussolini.

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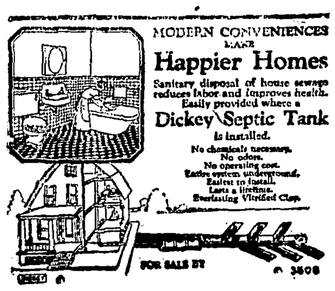

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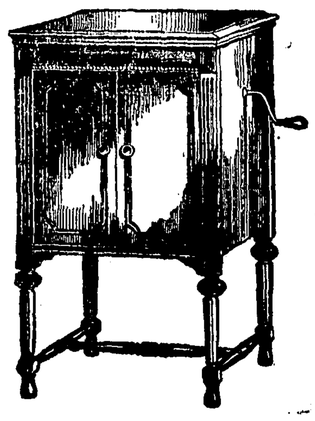

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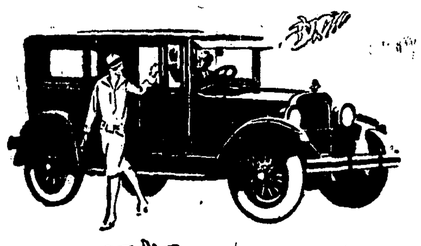

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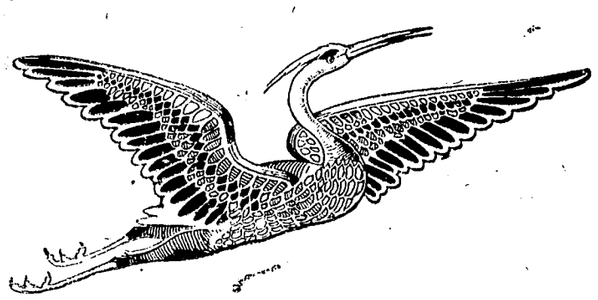

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VETERAN MEMBER DALLAS NEWS STAFF SUCCUMBS TO OPERATION

The following which appeared in Sunday's issue of the Dallas News reporting the death of John Sneed, veteran member of the Dallas News Staff, will be read with much regret in Corsicana as Mr. Sneed was well known to a great many of his city and had a number of friends here:

John Sneed, 52 years old, for more than twenty-seven years a member of the editorial staff of The Dallas News, died at 8 o'clock Saturday night at a local hospital, following an operation. He had been ill since last spring when stricken while on duty as staff correspondent with the good will trip of Dallas business interests. His condition gradually grew worse and as a resort an operation was determined upon during the last week.

One of the most widely known writers on the political and economic life of the Southwest during the last quarter of a century, Mr. Sneed was known by thousands of people throughout the territory, not only by personal contact, but also by his familiar "by line" over the myriad stories that were chapters in the continuous drama of life in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and even Mexico.

He had "covered" perhaps more stirring political campaigns than any one newspaper man in this part of the country, beginning with the famous Alf and Bob Taylor campaign back in Tennessee before he came to Texas and extending through the Hogg-Clark Bailey-Johnson, Campbell-Colquitt, Ferguson-Hobby, Mayfield-Peddy campaigns until the Robertson Ferguson-Butte triangle in 1924. His impartial judgment and keenness for only the facts made his work on reporting many of the most important court cases in Texas history since 1900 another side of his long and brilliant career.

One of his most memorable assignments was as war correspondent for The Dallas News and New York Herald in Mexico during the troublous years between 1911 and 1917.

Located in El Paso.

Born in Sewanee, Tenn., Dec. 3, 1873, of old American Revolutionary stock on his father's side, he was descended from the Royal Governor Lewis of South Carolina. Mr. Sneed was educated in the public schools and later attended the University of Tennessee. He afterward took a law degree from the Memphis law school and received a license to practice that profession. He married Miss Mary Young of Memphis, Tenn., a daughter of one of the distinguished jurists of Tennessee. By this union there were born four children, three of whom survive. Mr. Sneed's uncle of the same name was former Attorney General of Tennessee and served as Judge of the Supreme Court of that State.

The surviving children are two sons, Preston Sneed, a reporter on The Dallas Journal, and Richard Sneed, also of Dallas, and one daughter, Mrs. N. A. Stedman of Fort Worth.

In 1925 he married again and took as his bride Miss Belva Brown of Brownwood ,a former newspaper woman. She also survives.

Of delicate health in his early years, Mr. Sneed came to Texas about 1897, settling in El Paso where he continued his newspaper work begun previously in Tennessee in a small way. He served as city editor of the El Paso Times and of the El Paso Herald. With associates he founded the El Paso News ,later merged with one of the present-day newspapers of that city. He become a local correspondent for The Dallas News while in El Paso.

Assignments in Mexico.

His work soon attracted the attention of the officials of A. H. Belo & Co. and he was called to a fulltime connection with the institution which has ever since commanded his services. For a number of years he was correspondent in charge of The Dallas News Bureau at Fort Worth. Between 1911 and 1917 he was variously sent to Mexico as special representative and traveled with different factions struggling for supremacy in that Mexican Donnybrook. When American forces were stationed on the border and at the time of the punitive expedition into Mexico in pursuit of Villa in 1916 he was one of the few newspaper correspondents allowed to accompany Gen. John J. Pershing on that trip.

Returning to his work in Fort Worth in 1917 he was vitally concerned in the World War and was commissioned a Captain in the Texas National Guard, one of the "home guard" units known as "The Black Horse Guards." He also gave permission for his 17-year-old son, Richard, to join the American expeditionary forces overseas, while his elder son, Preston, was also a volunteer in the American forces.

During most of the more important political campaigns of the last decade Mr. Sneed was assigned to travel with candidates. He traveled with James E. Ferguson, Pat Neff, Joseph W. Bailey, George C. Butte, Judge Felix Robertson and a number of others who took active roles in the campaign.

Hunter and Fisherman.

Mr. Sneed was a member of the Episcopal Church and of the Knights of Pythias. He had always been an interested sportsman. He raised blooded bird dogs, was a passionate hunter and fisherman and had been a contributor for many years to the "American Field." For a year he was Deputy Game Warden at Medina Lake.

Unassuming and reserved, according to the best traditions of his profession, Mr. Sneed long commanded the affection and esteem of his fellow-workers, not only on the paper he served so long, but also among newspaper men and women on its competitors.

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CRIMINAL DOCKET OF COUNTY COURT SEPTEMBER TERM

Following is the setting of the criminal docket for the September term of the county court for the week beginning Monday, September 20, and ending September 25.

Monday, Sept. 20.

10108—State of Texas vs. Virley Collins.
10168—State of Texas vs. Carter Keith.
10192—State of Texas vs. LeRoy French.
10200—State of Texas vs. J. A. Lance.
10204—State of Texas vs. D. M. Holland.
10222—State of Texas vs. D. B. Dees.
10231—State of Texas vs. George Bowen.
10245—State of Texas vs. Charlie Waits.
10261—State of Texas vs. C. E. Hoover.
10259—State of Texas vs. E. L. Cunningham.
10263—State of Texas vs. Marie O'Dell alias Marie McDonald.
10274—State of Texas vs. Son Green.
10277—State of Texas vs. Wilburn Bray.
10282—State of Texas vs. Robert Bailey.
10284—State of Texas vs. Charlie Hughes.

Thursday, Sept. 23.

10302—State of Texas vs. Eunice Dean.
10301—State of Texas vs. Pearl Dean.
10286—State of Texas vs. Bob Davis.
10285—State of Texas vs. Early Thomas.
10296—State of Texas vs. Robert Holloway.
10295—State of Texas vs. McKinley Johnson.
10295—State of Texas vs. Will Bennett.
10292—State of Texas vs. J. A. Turnbo.
10293—State of Texas vs. R. A. Franks alias Arthur Franklin.
10300—State of Texas vs. Calvin Smith alias Henry Jones.

All defendants, their attorneys and witnesses please take notice of this setting and be governed accordingly.

WARREN HICKS,
County Judge.
B. W. GEORGE,
County Attorney.
By W. M. Taylor, Assistant.

COTTON RECEIPTS AT KERENS PASSED 1000 BALE MARK

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Sept. 13.—At the close of business Saturday 1635 bales of cotton had been weighed by the two cotton yards at Kerens. Most of this cotton has been sold by the farmers at prices that have ranged from eighteen cents down to as low as fifteen cents for strict low middling cotton on Saturday afternoon's market.

The yield that is being picked varies widely from a bale to twenty acres on some land where cotton is very poor on account of the damage done by cotton pests, to a half bale to the acre, which is being picked now by some farmers of bottom land farms. Army worms have eaten the leaves from many fields of cotton, causing the grown bolls on the stalks to open very fast.

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Agriculture Bulletins At Chamber Commerce

The Corsicana Chamber of Commerce has received about twenty-five bulletins from the United States Department of Agriculture dealing with a number of agricultural subjects. These bulletins are available for use for those interested if they will call by the headquarters of the Chamber of Commerce.

New Business Concern.

Jim Lazaris opened a lunch stand Saturday in the Edens building next to First National Bank. Recently, Crawford's Outdoor Stores opened in the Jester building on west side of Beaton street. These leases were negotiated through the Ross & Green Company, realtors. The total consideration was about $10,000, it is reported.

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OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR GOOD SCHOOL YEAR AT KERENS

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Sept. 13.—The opening exercises for the Fall term of the Kerens schools were held this morning in the High School auditorium, with Superintenednt J. J. Hendricks in charge. The several new teachers were introduced, and short speeches were made by some of them, and by members of the patrons who were present.

A good school year seems to be ahead for Kerens. The faculty is composed of college trained teachers, four of whom are men. The athletic coach, Grayson H. Wileman, a graduate and a three letter man from Trinity University, coached at Vernon, Texas, last year and the year before, building a football machine that was able both years to get into the semi-finals or the near finals of the State High School football contests, being ruled out on a technicality one time, and being defeated by Oak Cliff by a large score the other time.

A few recruits will be seen on the Kerens eleven this year from nearby communities, and some will probably get places who were on the substitute list yast year. Football equipment was scheduled to be issued on the opening day of school, and the initial practice to take place on the gridiron on the same afternoon.

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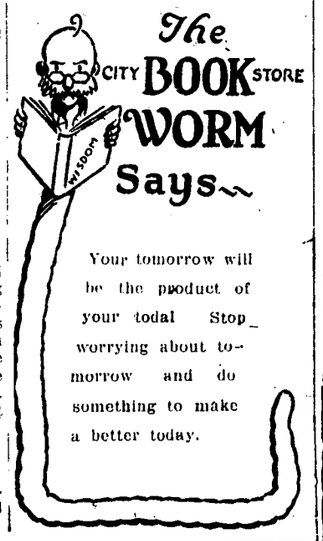

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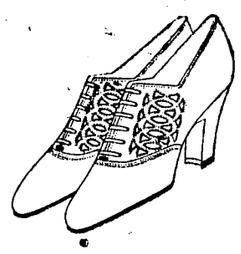

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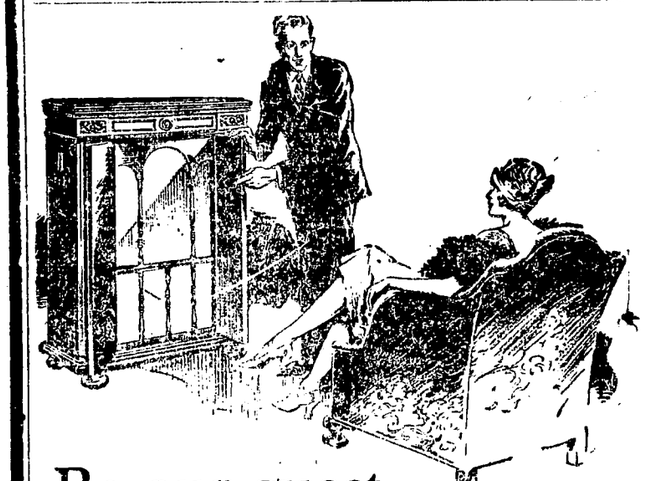

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His Honor, Judge H. S. Melear, had a full house Friday morning—and this does not mean that the Judge was indulging in the great American game of poker, either, although he was doing the dealing. The occasion was a session of corporation court, and the large attendance was primarily caused by the fact that many people—drivers of automobiles—failed to observe the boulevard stop law recently enacted by the city commission.

In dealing out justice the Judge made it plain that it was not his desire to be unduly harsh, but that it was necessary that the law should be enforced, and that it was necessary that it should be enforced at once. He stated that the first offenders cited on Wednesday were permitted to go with a warning and that as a result it seemed that many others had failed to realize that the law was to be enforced. He closed his address to his audience with a broad smile studied a while and then said that believed now was the opportune time to begin and forthwith assessed fines of $5 each against some dozen or more defendants.

Two charges of associating with a prostitute in a public place were the outcome of a disturbance on South Beaton street Thursday night when two young men and two young women are alleged to have mixed in a melee, in which one of the women, a recent comer here, is charged with having attempted to use a knife. In taking the knife from the woman she is alleged to have been cut on the leg. One of the women was in jail Friday morning.

Three negro women were charged with affrays. One man was charged with being drunk, disturbing the peace and fighting, while another was charged with fighting. Twenty-eight were cited for violation of the boulevard stop law. One was charged with speeding, while another was charged with speeding on Beaton street, cutting the button at Seventh avenue and continuous honking of his horn.

A crowd of youths smoking on the compress platform and refusing to move on when ordered by the watchman, a cushion stolen from a car and later recovered and another car damaged in a collision were also reported, while a man hunting his son was directed where he could find him.

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BAPTISTS FINISH SESSION AT KERENS THURSDAY EVENING

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Sept. 10.— The closing day of the Corsicana Baptist Associational meeting here began at 9 this morning with a devotional service led by A. M. Herrington of Frost. The W. M. U. report showed that women of the county had contributed $6,000 to denominational causes during the year just closed.

Out of the eighteen churches of the county seventeen have active Sunday schools, whose enrollment reaches 4,994 students, according to the report on the Sunday schools made by N. L. Range of Frost. Organization of a county-wide Sunday school convention was recommended to the association by the committee.

A year of hard and fruitful work was reported by county missionary W. D. Bowen. The report on associational missionary work was read by Joe Sheppard of Kerens.

W. D. Bowen, county missionary, was elected as the delegate from this association to the State Baptist Convention in San Antonio, and J. Howard Williams, pastor of the First Baptist church of Corsicana was elected as the delegate from the association to the Southern Baptist Convention.

Wayne Howell of Corsicana reported on and discussed Civic Righteousness at 8 p. m., after which the Association adjourned, with the next place of meeting not decided upon.

CHILDREN RECEIVE TREATMENT RABIES FOR CAT SCRATCHES

Two children are undergoing treatment by local physicians for rabies as the result of scratches received from a cat Sunday. The cat's head was sent to the Pasteur Institute at Austin Monday and Wednesday word came that the cat was afflicted with a well defined case of rabies.

The children are the little six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Molloy, and the fourteen-year-old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. N. J. Peeples. The children are reported doing nicely today. The cat belonged to the Peeples family it was stated.

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Amarillo—Plans for construction of gas pipe line at estimated cost of $27,000,000 to link gas fields of Texas Panhandle with Kansas City, announced.

MORE WEEVILS THAN FOR TWENTY YEARS—GENTRY

H. Gentry, Navarro county agent, stated Friday that there were more boll weevils in Navarro county than at any time during the last twenty years. He also stated that the leaf worm was very active. The weather conditions recently have caused more damage from the insects. It was pointed out that there was plenty of foliage for the weevils to thrive on and that September is the month in which the weevils breed. Few weevils were in evidence last year due to a dry summer.

However, Mr. Gentry stated that from present indications, Navarro county would produce approximately 60,000 or 65,000 bales.

GRAND JURY WILL PROBE KILLING OF SEVEN WILLACY CO.

By Associated Press.

Raymondville, Texas, Sept. 11.— A special jury commission was called today to select a grand jury to investigate the deaths of two officers and five persons in Willacy county recently. The special commission was called by District Judge A. W. Cunningham when he arrived here today. The grand jury is expected to assemble Monday.

The two officers killed were Leslie E. Shaw and Louis May, shot when going to investigate the sound of a shot in the Mexican quarter of the town.

There was a roundup of suspects after the officers were killed. Five of them were leading the officers to a place where guns with which the officers were killed were reported hidden. Shots were fired at the officers and in the cross fire the prisoners were killed.

Rufus Pevehouse Has Gone Blooming Grove

Rufus Pevehouse, deputy sheriff under Sheriffs Walter Hayes and John W. Stewart, has resigned and has moved to Blooming Grove where he will be agent for one of the oil companies there.

He is a well-known officer and was reared in the Blooming Grove community.

COUNTY TEACHERS INSTITUTE CLOSES WITH MEET FRIDAY

"Subject-Matter vs. Leading on Activities," by H. D. Fillers in the high school division; "Purpose of Tests," by Miss Leland Watkins in the intermediate division, and "Lessons in Conduct" by Mrs. Mabel Craven, were the final discussions of the annual Navarro county teachers' institute which adjourned at noon Friday completing the five days.

A total of 270 teachers registered in attendance at this year's institute. The section meetings were good with many fine points brought out in the lectures covering various phases of teaching.

Earlier Friday morning section meetings were held with H. D. Fillers discussing "New Types of Examinations in High School," Miss Watkins discussing "How We May Help our Delinquent Pupils," and Mrs. Craven discussing "Language."

The business session was held immediately following the general session in the main high school auditorium. E. L. Fletcher was elected director-general of the interscholastic league; G. P. Findley was elected director of athletics; Miss Penelope Floyd was elected director of essay-writing; Miss Jac King was elected director of spelling; G. G. Herrin was elected director of declamation and Miss Reynolds was elected director of debate.

At the general session G. T. Bloodworth, representing the State Department of Education, was the principal speaker. Rev. John M. Barcus pronounced the divine invocation. Mr. Bloodworth explained the school apportionment of available funds this year which is $11.50 per capita of scholastics. He said the special session of the Legislature which convenes Monday will be asked to exercise every possible effort to supplement the available fund to the amount of $15 per child. He discussed State aid, saying there is $1,500,000 available this year for that purpose, and it will be used where it is the most needed in order to make all the schools last at least six months.

Speaking of the abolishment of the school institute, he said it would be permissible to adopt a resolution on the subject, provided something is offered in lieu. He mentioned that in some States the institute had been changed to a good advantage. In some States two days is given to teachers institute work and the remainder of the funds is used for paying trustees for attending also.

The funds derived from fees collected from teachers, which was $2 apiece, has accumulated through the past three years where the fee can be reduced to $1 next year, it was said. The fees collected from teachers are used in paying specially trained instructors who conduct the section meetings.

The following resolutions were passed at the final session:

"We, the teachers of the public schools of Navarro county in annual meeting assembled at Corsicana, Texas, September 6-10, 1926:

"(1) Respectifully endorse the action of the State Teachers Association in using all influence available to secure the incorporation of a strong plank in the platform of the State Democratic Party at its meeting in San Antonio, September 7. Such plank to demand that the party pledge itself to stop doing patchwork and instead effect a complete re-organization of our rural school system; such re-organization to provide for a county system of schools, as recommended by the Texas Educational Commission and the Legislative Committee of the Educational Survey Commission.

"This meeting believes that the surer road toward the realization of this or any educational program is through the securing of the adoption of such a plank by the State Democratic Party.

"2. We endorse the program of the Texas Education Commission and that outlined by the Legislative Committee of the Educational Survey Commission and we urgently request the 40th Legislature to enact such laws as are needed to carry out these recommendations.

"3. We, the representatives of the rural school children of Navarro county respectfully urge and petition the Governor of our great and wealthy state, to submit to the called session of the Legislature the question of an appropriation for schools to increase the per capita from $11.50 to $15.00 so that the relief which is so necessary may come for the session 1926-27.

"4. Resolved, that the present law governing Teachers' Institute be repealed and in lieu of the institute that a law be passed by the 40th Legislature requiring teacher's contracts to contain a provision that the teacher is under obligation to attend county faculty meetings of not more than five days during each year. Said meetings to be held at the discretion of the county superintendent and in such a manner as to serve the best interests of the county.

"5. We favor and respectfully urge the appointment of rural supervisors to assist in the supervision of rural school work.

"6. That we urge each school official in Navarro county and others interested in the school activities of our county to assist in obtaining membership in the State Teachers' Association.

"7. We, the teachers of the Navarro County Teachers Institute wish to go on record as endorsing the establishing of a Junior College for Navarro county as soon as legal provisions may be made and herewith pledge our co-operation in obtaining such.

"8. We want to go on record as recommending to the Board of Control and the 40th Legislature to give more adequate support to our State Teachers' Colleges.

"9. We, the teachers of Navarro county, take this as an opportunity in expressing our kindest appreciation and best regards to Mr. J. M. McClung, who has served us in the capacity of our County Superintendent for the past four years. That the teachers of Navarro county have always found Superintendent McClung ready to assist them in the promotion of the standards of the rural schools, that his services are indelibly written in the hearts and minds of those that have worked under him, and we, as a group of instructors wish to express and endorse his efforts and principles as a promoter of education, and that his success shall be continued in his profession.

"10. We, the teachers of Navarro County Institute pledge our co-operation to our newly-nominated county superintendent, Mr. Steele.

"11. We wish to express our thanks to the ministers of the city who opened our general sessions each day with prayer, Sam J. Little for his faithfulness as a news reporter, the officials of the C. H. S. for their courtesy to us and we are especially grateful to Supt. H. D. Fillers, Miss Leland Watkins and Mrs. Mabel Craven for their leadership and guidance; we believe that our schools will profit by our association with them.

"12. We wish to express our sincere appreciation of Rep. Ernest Cox and his co-workers, for their faithful services rendered in conducting the University Interscholastic League Meet for past year.

"MABEL M. BOLTZ.
"O. S. HELLUMS.
J. J. HENDRICKS."

Superintendent J. M. McClung announced the meeting at Blooming Grove which was held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon to discuss county-wide projects for the benefit of Navarro county.

DETERIORATION OF COTTON PAST TWENTY DAYS IS REPORTED

Cotton has deteriorated in North Central Texas considerably during the last twenty days but there will be lots of cotton made, G. W. Orms district agent with headquarters in College Station, declared here Friday morning. He stated that the most pressing need now was hot sunshine so that the cotton would open. The weather conditions recently, especially in some of the counties, particularly Dallas, Rockwall and Tarrant county, where heavy rains have fallen within the last few days, is bad on the cotton crop. In addition to hurting the cotton crop, the weather conditions are hindering the curing of hay and feed crops. He stated that his entire district had raised good feed crops and large number of hogs were being secured by the farmers. There was a scarcity of hogs in this district due to lack of feeds. The people have been aided by the raising of good gardens and indications point to good fall gardens.

Mr. Orms stated that the conditions looked good but pointed out that cotton was about twenty days late this year and urged that the farmers pick their cotton as soon as possible, turn the cows into the fields and then turn the land as soon as possible to combat the boll weevils which are plentiful this year, due largely to the weather conditions. He stated that the weather observers predicted an early fall and winter.

Mr. Orms' district embraces the counties of Navarro, Limestone, Freestone, Ellis, Hill, Dallas, Rockwall, Tarrant, Collin, Grayson, Cook, Montague, Palo Pinto, Jack, Parker, Johnson, Somerville, Hood, Wise and Denton.

VARIED WORK BEING DONE BY UNITED CHARITIES WAS DEMONSTRATED WEDNESDAY

Tuesday was a busy day at the office of the United Charities chapter for the first day of the Fall work. However, Tuesday was like many other days at the office. Tuesday's work consisted from tracing an escaped lunatic to supplying school supplies for children.

The first work done Tuesday morning was the fixing up and sending off an order for Christmas cards for an aged woman. She will seek to make money by the sale of the cards. She is unable to read or write.

Two small boys were given clothes for school which opens within the next few days.

One woman came down to the office to inform the officals of the United Charities that the United Charities was neglecting a family hey were aiding and while she was there, another woman telephoned to Miss Augusta Helm, secretary, to thank her for the interest which had been shown the woman being discussed and for the aid rendered. The woman who telephoned the office was a close relative of the woman in question, officials stated.

A little girl came in for school clothes and also to receive treatment for her eyes.

A visit was made to an old man under the care of the United Charities at a boarding house.

Those who have been caring for people for the organization came in to report on their wards and receive their pay.

Another woman known to the officials of the United Charities had received some money and had to be identified by the officals so that she would be paid.

The most unusual happening was the arrival of a man who after telegraphic communication with several states was found to be an escaped lunatic from Elgin, Ill., who demanded money. Two men stating that they were officers came and got him and went away. It later developed that the officials could not find an officer in Corsicana who made the supposed arrest and it is thought that the two men were confederates and were working various towns with the alleged lunatic to secure the money begged by him.

Tuesday afternoon, the officials visited two people in rooming houses. Miss Helm and Miss Lyttle, public health nurse, visited an aged negress and rendered needed aid.

Four old women who live together were taken their pensions after their expenses had been paid. Two families came in for their monthly allowances.

All of the above work was done Tuesday in addition to the regular office work which was extremely heavy incident to the payment of the monthly bills and other work necessary on the return of Miss Helm from her several weeks' vacation.

The United Charities force has worked similarly on numerous days, but there is a variety of work and different phases come up for disposition daily.

Two people telephoned Tuesday afternoon that they had bundles for the United Charities office which were called for.

CHRISTMAS SEALS WILL BE SOLD IN CORSICANA SOON

Miss Mary C. Worster, representative of the Texas Public Health Association, with headquarters at Austin, was in Corsicana Friday conferring with the Civic Club in connection with the sale of Christmas Seals here. Miss Worster stated that she had closed a contract with the Civic Club whereby this organization, through the Nursing Department, would sponsor the sale of the seals in Corsicana this year. The sale will start Thanksgiving Day and continue through Christmas.

Read the Sun—get all the news.

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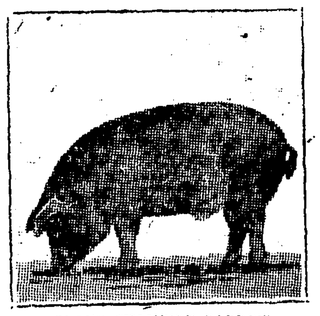

GRAND CHAMPION BARROW
Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Fort Worth, Texas, 1926
—Was Fed Cottonseed Meal—
Bred, fed and exhibited by
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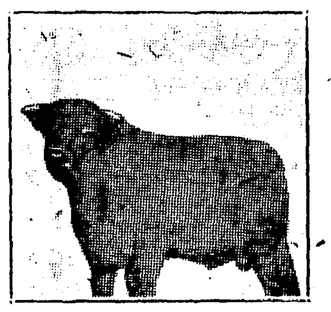
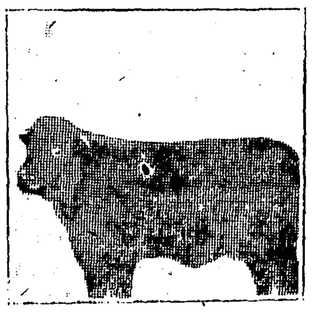
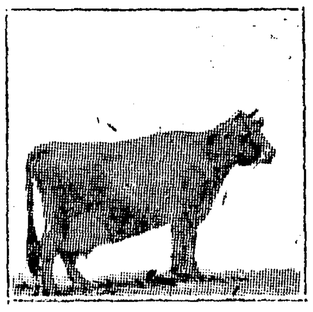


LACKAWANA MASTERPAY
First Two-year Old Senior and Grand Champion, Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Fort Worth, Texas
—Was Fed Cottonseed Meal—
Bred, owned and exhibited by
Frank Scofield, Hillsboro, Texas.

RUTH REGOLA MODEL FAYNE, NO. 37300
In a 365-day period, at 4 years, 1 month produced 19,052.2 lbs. milk 808.6 lbs. butter
—Was Fed Cottonseed Meal—
Owned by
Flowerdale Farm, Dallas, Texas.



VICTOR'S PRINCE NO. 1300321
Grand Champion Steer, Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Fort Worth, Texas, 1925
—Was Fed Cottonseed Meal—
Bred, fed and exhibited by the A. & M. College of Texas.



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Produced 15,590 pounds of milk and 900.6 pounds of fat in one year
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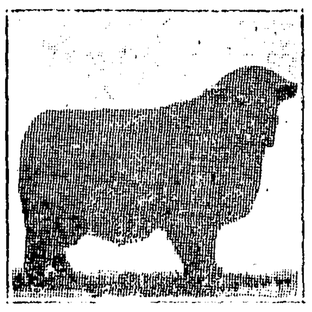

CHAMPION HAMPSHIRE RAM
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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Drummond and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Young drove to Fort Worth Saturday night and spent Sunday there, going in Mrs. Young's new sedan.

Miss Beulah Hunt of Hillsboro spent Sunday with Miss Eva Jane Lyttle.

Hawkins Scarborough, district judge, returned Saturday night from a trip to Denver.

John R. Curington, deputy sheriff, has returned from a business trip to Austin.

Archie Gray, Ennis attorney, was here Monday.

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1 lb. can Sockeye Salmon	34c
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GOV. FERGUSON IN MESSAGE OUTLINES WORK FOR BODY

(Continued from page 1.)

eleemosynary insitutions and $156,486 for all other departments.

The condition of the State is prosperous and gratifying, the Governor's communication pointed out, reviewing the crops of the year, oil production, investment of money in Texas industries, building of railroads, introduction of foreign capital into Texas, and saying that the State government is functioning in every way toward the end of building and establishing more schools, roads and factories.

Partisan Discussion Should Cease

The State tax has been reduced and with the great development in the State in industrial, educational and scientific lines, aided by outside capital, "shows that the world has its eye on Texas with confidence in our people and our government," the communication said.

She extended a welcome to the Legislators and said, "You and I are the public servants of the people and the partisan discussion and the acromonies of political campaigns should close with the end of the campaign."

She stated she was not inclined to submit further legislation until the bond validation was disposed of, which was taken to mean that another special session might be called.

RIVERS TURNED TO RAGING TORRENTS BY HEAVY RAINS

By Associated Press.

Wichita, Kans., Sept. 13.—After spending a harrowing night on top of their homes which were floating down the flooded Verdigris river three Virgil, Kansas, families were rescued from trees today, the telephone operator at a temporary station near the town told the Associated Press.

The three familes, which lived in houses located on low ground near the river, climbed to their roofs yesterday afternoon when the river suddenly rose. Half an hour later they felt the foundation give way and started floating down the river.

They drifted all night, and this morning caught hold of trees, where their cries attracted the attention of farmers living on high ground along the river bank. Doctors from a nearby town have gone in a boat to the aid of the stricken families.

The death list growing directly or indirectly out of the flood and electrical storms reached four today when the body of Charles Wood, of Russell, Kansas, was recovered near Madison. Wood's motor car was caught near a bridge east of Madison when the Verdigris river swept across the road. He shouted for help and workmen in a power plant nearby were starting to his rescue when the pole broke and Wood was drowned.

By Associated Press.

Emporia, Kans., Sept. 13.—Three known dead, hundreds of homeless families sleeping in churches and schools and heavy losses in livestock, crops and buildings was the toll today of the worst storm that has swept this region in more than a score of years.

That the high water mark of the floods that have inundated a score of towns has not yet been reached was indicated today by reports from Burlington, Madison, Iola, Neosho Falls and intermediate points located on three rampaging rivers.

Starting at the headwaters of the Cottonwood, the Neosho and the Verdigris rivers, unprecedented rainfall throughout the watersheds turned rivers into raging torrents.

Over a region 60 miles long and 25 miles wide hastily organized rescue parties commandeered little used row boats and fought their way through strange streets where only the roofs or second floor protruded above the turbid waters.

In one such rescue Bill Brandon, aged four, lost his life when the boat in which he and his parents fled from their home struck a submerged tree and capsized near Madison. Charles Rodgers, aged 60, fell dead when he peered from his bedroom window to see water stretching to the horizon from his front porch. A farmer at Osborne was killed by lightning.

The flood tide at Burlington is scattered with the debris of wrecked homes and farmyards.

Neosho River Receding.

By Associated Press.

Neosho Falls, Kans., Sept. 13.—The Neosho river today was receding from the crest reached last night when the high water mark was reported at 24 feet above normal. The river was from three to ten miles wide in this section.

Iola reported a crest of 23 feet at four o'clock this morning with the southern residential district inundated. The water was running into first story windows. The central section of the city had not been flooded.

Farmers along the river east of Parsons were driven from the low lands by a five foot rise between 1 and 6 o'clock this morning. Heavy livestock and crop losses were reported.

Mrs. J. H. Martin returned to Mexia with her daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Cook, who with Mr. Cook, Mrs. John Cook and two children spent the week-end in Corsicana.

Miss Lyda Reed went to Dallas Saturday afternoon.

Court House

Items of Interest From Temple of Justice

District Clerk's Office.

The following casese were filed:

Lizzie Simpson vs. C. C. Simpson, divorce.

Della Harlan vs. John J. Harlan, divorce.

Commissioner's Court.

The commissioner's court was in session Monday afternoon.

Sheriffs' Office.

A Ford touring car was stolen from Jeff Elliott, negro, Saturday night from one of the churches of East Corsicana. No arrests have been made.

Justice Court.

Judge Sam B. Jordan fined one on a charge of gaming.

Judge J. J. Sullivan fined one on a charge of gaming and one on a charge of violating the highway laws.

Mineral Deeds.

E. B. Lowery et al to R. E. Burt et al, 1.32nd interest in the royalty of 100 acres of the James A. Johnson survey, $10 and other considerations.

Oil and Gas Leases.

E. R. Stroder et ux to R. L. and J. M. Moore, 31 acres G. R. Wheelock survey $1.

J. T. and N. B. Stroder to R. L. and J. M. Moore, 24 1-10 acres G. R. Wheelock survey, $1.

Marriage Licenses.

Fred Gilliam and Louise O'Bryan.

Joseph Bailey and Emma Clark.

M. B. Neyman and Jewell Neyman.

R. D. Shumate and Vera Cane.

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Young, Corsicana R. 2, September 3, a daughter.

FOUR ROBBERS IN PARTY THAT SEIZED ONE MAIL POUCH

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—Four robbers seized mail of an estimated value of $350,000 on a Grand Trunk Railroad train near Chicago today and escaped.

The robbery occurred in the suburb of Evergreen Park on the far southwest side of the city.

An automobile was in waiting for the mail robbers who had fled before the police had even received notification of the robbery.

Consignments of currency from the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago and the Union Trust Company, also a Chicago bank, comprised the loot, the exact amount of which Grant Miller, postoffice inspector in charge here, said had not yet been ascertained.

Two of the robbers entered a mail car and held up the clerks, taking one pouch of mail containing the registered shipments which were consigned to Harvey, Ill. A large manufacturing suburb. The robbers had boarded the train in the city. After the robbery they dropped off at Evergreen Park, a suburb on West Ninety-Fifth street, chiefly known for its cemeteries.

An automobile of an inexpensive make, little used by robbers, was seen and is believed to have been used for the escape.

Only one pouch was taken, Inspector Miller said, indicating that the robbers had information that the currency was on board and were familiar with the mail system.

Reward Paid Hickman.

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 10.—A check for $1,000, a reward of $500 for each of two bank robbers killed in Clarksville Thursday, will be sent to Ranger Captain Tom Hickman at once, it was announced Friday by W. A. Phillpot, Secretary of the Texas Bankers Association.

The check represents the first reward paid by the Association since 1900 for the capture or killing of bank bandits. Payment of the money was authorized by Charles A. Fisk, of Amarillo, presiden tof the Association, by telephone. Phillpot said the Association hereafter will pay $500 for every dead bank robber shot "in action."

BRITISH STEAMER GREETED HEAVY FIRE FROM CHINESE TOWN

By Associated Press.

Shanghai, Sept. 13.—A delayed dispatch from Hankow, dated last Friday, says the British steamer, Kiangwo, having on board British sailors wounded in the attack by Chinese troops at Wanhsein recently, was heavily fired on last Thursday while passing Shanking and was forced to return up the river.

The Kiangwo made another attempt to pass Shanking Friday but the fusilade again was so heavy that she again returned up the river.

An American torpedo boat destroyer afterwards took off the wounded from the Kiangwo and a British gunboat eventually escorted the steamer to a place of safety.

W. Roy Christian, manager of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce, was a Frost visitor Monday.

Miss Lenora Hervey of Chatfield and Miss Mary Garrett of Roane left Monday for Weatherford, Texas, where they will enter Weatherford College.

ENROLLMENT THIS YEAR IS SLIGHTLY LESS THAN YEAR AGO

Corsicana schools opened Monday morning with the usual enthusiasm and cheeriness of the pupils following the summer vacation. Children reported at all the schools for assignment lists and books and all will be ready for regular daily classwork by Wednesday, it was announced.

A total of 2,456 white children enrolled on the opening day and 346 negro children enrolled at the negro schools.

A grand total of 2,802 had made out their entrance cards and this number will likely be increased to some extent during the next few days.

This is a slight decrease over the first day attendance of last year. The grand total last year was 2,972, with 2,580 white children and 392 negro children. There is a difference of 170. There is a decrease of 124 white children and a decrease of 46 negro children comparing opening day figures.

The David Crockett school shows a slight decrease in attendance and the William B. Travis school is a little less than lest year, while the Stephen F. Austin school shows a gain.

The David Crockett school had 110 to enroll Monday, and the Stephen F. Austin school had an enrollment of 282; the William B. Travis school had an enrollment of 469; the Sam Houston school an enrollment of 695; the junior high school had 300 and the senior high 600.

The Jackson (negro) school had 246 on enrollment day and the Washington (negro) school had 100.

There was no classwork started today, but lessons were assigned, and everything is being put in working order by the last of the week.

The following is the districting of the city for school attendance purposes:

Stephen F. Austin School District.

All white children who live in the territory west of the H. & T. C. Railway and north of a line running out Fifth avenue to Fourteenth street, thence north one block to Fourth avenue, thence west one block to Fifteenth street, thence one block north to Third avenue, thence west one block to Sixteenth street, thence north one block to Second avenue, thence west to Nineteenth street, thence north on Nineteenth street to city limits, will attend the Austin School on West First avenue. Children who live east of the H. & T. C. Railway and north of Third avenue will also be admitted to the Austin School. Children are accepted in this school who are in grades one to low sixth inclusive.

William B. Travis School District.

All white children who live south of the Cotton Belt and west of the H. & T. C. Railway tracks in grades one to five inclusive, will attend the Wm. B. Travis School. The district line follows the H. & T. C. track from the station to the intersection with South Twelfth street, thence south on South Twelfth to city limits.

Sam Houston School District.

All white children who live west of the H. & T. C. and north of the Cotton Belt railway tracks and south or west of the Austin School District line above described in grades one to five inclusive, will attend the Sam Houston School on West Collin street. All those children in the low sixth grade who live in the Sam Houston and the Wm. B. Travis districts will attend the Sam Houston School on West Collin street, also.

Junior High School District.

All white children in the seventh and high sixth grades coming from any part of the city will report to the Junior High School on West Fifth avenue. Children in the seventh grade will be enrolled Wednesday, Thursday and Friday before the opening of school on Monday, Sept. 13. Children in the high sixth grade will be enrolled on Monday, the 13th, at 8:30 a. m. Children in the seventh grade will be enrolled Monday, the 13th, at 1 p. m. Regular class work begins Tuesday morning, Sept 14.

David Crockett School District.

All white children who live east of a line following the H. & T. C. Railway tracks and South Twelfth street to city limits, will attend the David Crockett School in East Corsicana. This school will be opened to the first, second, third, and fourth grades. All white children in this district who are in the fifth and low sixth grades will report at the Stephen F. Austin School. Those in the high sixth and seventh grades will report at the Junior High Building on West Fifth avenue.

Senior High School District.

All white children in the city in grades eight to eleven inclusive will report Monday and Tuesday to be classified, according to the followng schedule.

Automobile Hits Bank Building

Considerable excitement was occasioned at the State National Bank building corner just after closing time Monday afternoon when a Chevrolet sedan bounded up on the sidewalk and collided with the building on the west side. No one was injured.

The reason for the car's action was given that the clutch stuck and the driver was unable to get the car out of gear.

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METHODISTS SHOW LARGE INCREASE IN S. S. ATTENDANCE

Yesterday, the first Sunday in the drive for 1000 attendance in the First Methodist Church Sunday School the attendance was 613, as compared with 510 last Sunday. This shows an increase of 113 for the week. One year ago yesterday the attendance was only 358. Collections yesterday were $26.32 and last Sunday $18.34. The total attendance at the First Baptist Church Sunday school yesterday was 727 and last Sunday 606. The Baptist had an increase of 114 yesterday over the attendance of the Methodists.

In connection with the drive for 1,000 members by the Methodist an executive meeting was held at the Educational Building Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock where additional plans were mde for the drive, those in attendance being J. N. Royall, C. T. Banister, J. L. Halbert, Sam J. Jackson, Rev. W. R. Beaird, F. P. McElwrath, Boyce Martin, Mrs. E. E. Babers and Mrs. J. W. David.

At the meeting yesterday it was decided to have a special program in the adult department next Sundy under the supervision of C. T. Banister and on Friday night, September 24th, the first big Rally and Pep meeting of the workers will be held in the Educational Building.

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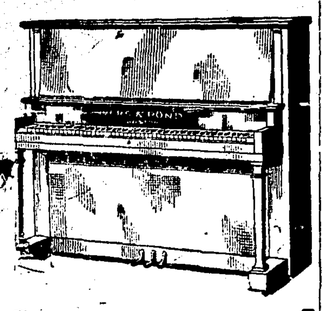

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PREVENTION OF DISEASE

(Clippings from Hygea published by the American Medical Association and furnished the Daily Sun by the Navarro County Medical Association.)

Tells Correct Way to Brush Teeth.

The most efficient weapon for combating dental disease is the toothbrush, says Dr. William H. Gardner in Hygeia for September. Most toothbrushes are too large and ill shaped for effective brushing, and most people spend too little time on brushing and employ the wrong method.

The brush should be small, about 1 1-4 inches long at the bristle end, and fairly stiff. No toothbrush can be made to conform to the dental arch, both outside and inside, so it best to use a small brush and brush a few teeth at a time.

Brushing of the teeth has two functions: it must really clean all surfaces; and it must stimulate the gums to make them resistant to injury and infection. The bristles should be placed at right angles to the long axis of the teeth and a gentle pressure applied; at the sme time the brush should be wriggled, so that the bristles penetrate between the teeth and clean the crevices. All the surface of the teeth should be brushed this way, doing a few at a time. The mouth may then be rinsed with water, to remove the particles loosened by the brushing. The process should take from three to five minutes after one has learned it, but as much as a half-hour bay be required at firs●

In stead of praying to some shrine or high Heaven or consulting the stars or oracles to cure sickness, men are now stooping to such lowly things as lice and flies, human blood and excrement, sewage and filth to find a cure for disease, declares Dr. Thurman B. Rice in Hygeia for September.

The Knight of old, in flashing armor and with shining sword, mounted on his prancing steed, rode forth to rescue some fair lady from a wild boar or a highway robber. The modern knight may be only a little gray man with a stoop and spectacles, grubbing his life away over cultures and test tubes in some laboratory. He saves millions of people from very real dangers, and the world is cleaner, more beautiful, happier, and safer because he and men like him have stooped that they might conquer.

"At 50 a man is either a fool or a physician," say an old proverb. At the age of 50 a man should have learned his limitations; if he lives accordingly he has the judgment of a physician; if he ignores his limitations he is a fool, explains Dr. Clarence W. Lieb in the September Hygeia. Most people over 50 eat too much. In middle life, food quantity is more important than food quality.

Overeating has more unfortunate consequences than digestive disturbances. A fat person at 50 has much less chance for a long life than a thin one. Tremendous energy is expended in the digestion of a large meal. The digestice tract is a muscular tube of great length through which food must be propelled by muscular energy. Therefore stored up energy may be drained by digestive fatigue just as by physical or mental fatigue.

Each person's diet must be varied to meet his individual requirements. Dieting to reduce should be done scientifically. Disaster may result from following a diet taken from a medical book, or one prescribed for some one else who has a different need. On the whole, a light diet of simple foods, adjusted to a person's own limitations, is most advisable for those past 50 who wish to live long and well.

Last year cities in the birth registration area had a death rate of 72.6 infants per thousand birth, reports Hygeia. Stonington, Conn., and Winona, Minn., villages of 25,000, had the lowest records, 32 per thousand. New York had the lowest rate of the ten largest cities, 64 deaths per thousand. Seattle, with a rate of 45, maintained its supremacy among all cities in the birth registration area. Southern cities have high rates because of the large negro population.

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Eleventh Avenue Baptist Revival

The Sunday services were well attended. Rev. B. B. Key discussed very interesting subjects at both morning and evening services. Interest was manifested in various ways at the close of the message last night.

The meeting will continue through the coming week, the hours being 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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TESTING CIRCLE OF DEMONSTRATION SERVICE HELD MEET

MRS. A. L. BRYAN TOLD OF BENEFITS DERIVED FROM SHORT COURSE

The Testing Circle of the Navarro County Home Demonstration Service held a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon in carrying out the program of the Extension Department of the Texas A. & M. College, directed by Miss Elma Lawson, home demonstrator.

A committee composed of Mrs. G. H. Blankenship, Petty's Chapel; Mrs. N. Chambers and Mrs. A. L. Bryan of the Bryan community. The circle will take an active part in the fall poultry show, as well as interest themselves in a number of othe ractivities outlined in the general program.

Mrs. Bryan told the woman members of the council of the benefits derived from attending the summer short course at the A. & M. Mrs. Bryan won the championship biscuit baking contest held here some weeks ago. She was very enthusiastic over the short course, and made a very interesting talk concerning the work done in the A. & M. short course.

The council is composed of one or two representatives of every community in the county, work is to test kitchen equipment, such as floor mops, mop wringers, dust pans, carpet sweepers, dish washers, dish drainers, wire dish rags, egg beaters, mixing bowls, mixing spoons, flour sifters, food choppers, cutters, graters, glass baking dishes, pastry brushes, potato mashers, can openers, knife sharpeners, paring knives, shears, and other kitchen utensils and tools that come into daily use by the housewife.

The next council meeting will be held the last Saturday in October. At that meeting dining table demonstrations will be given. Proper table setting, serving and other details concerning the dining table, equipment for serving and the care of table napkins and silverware will be given attention.

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LIMESTONE COUNTY FAIR EXPECTED TO HAVE RECORD CROWD

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Sept. 13.—A record crowd for a first year fair is expected at Groesbeck where a splendid race course has been completed and agriculture, poultry and live stock buildings have been built.

Limestone County Fair Association is offering some $3,000 in prizes for agriculture, poultry and livestock and $3,500 in purses for automobile and horse races, has gone to a large expense for some of the best hippodrome and vaudeville acts that money will buy, has employed two bands to furnish the music and has spared no expense to entertain those who attend or enter exhibits.

They are assured the best poultry show ever held in this section of the State, having 300 coops already spoken for. Walker Burton of Arlington will do the judging. All space has been taken in livestock building and the management has ordered a tent to take care of the overflow.

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COMMISSIONERS IN REGULAR MEETING; ROUTINE MATTERS

Routine matters were discussed and handled by the commissioners' court at the regular monthly meeting Monday morning.

County Judge Warren Hicks, Commissioners Jack Megarity, Ben E. Guynes, D. T. Collins and Ruben Milligan as well as other officers were preesnt.

The application of County Tax Collector George W. Boyd for three office deputies at salaries of $80 per month each was granted. The application of L. H. Elkins, tax assessor, for another deputy at a salary of $80 was approved.

The report of the home demonstration agent and the colored demonstration agent were received.

The bonds of J. O. O'Neill, Emhouse; W. H. Watson, Pinkston; as deputy public weigher were approved.

A letter from the officials of the County Judge and County Commissioners of Texas inviting the Navarro county judge and commissioners to attend the convention of the organization which will be held in Tyler, September 28-29, was read. Several signified their intention of attending this convention. Last year, Tyler was successful over Corsicana for the convention. It is not known whether an effort will be made to get the convention for Corsicana in 1927 or not. It is expected that the convention will be invited to meet in Corsicana.

Bids for the furnishing of gravel for the repairing of some of the roads of Navarro county were open ed but action was deferred.

A bill in the sum of $50 for Dr. R. C. Curtis was allowed for the testing of five samples of cane beer for County Attorney Ballard W. George in connection with some liquor cases.

The monthly claims were presented and allowed except as denoted on the claim docket.

EATON, CRANE & PIKE'S "Lousine" and "Kara Linen" pound paper 50c lb.—City Book Store.

TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS AND CRAP SHOOTERS WERE BEFORE JUDGE

As evidence of the fact that there will be no letup in the enforcement of the boulevard stop ordinance on several streets, particularly Fifteenth street, there were nineteen hailed before Judge Melear Monday morning for failure to obey the law. They were given the usual fine.

Fifteen negroes and Mexicans were before the Judge for indulging in a game of craps. Some paid off, others will pay and two were onlooking youngsters who will probably fight shy of such gatherings henceforth.

Other cases disposed of were three cars tagged for parking too near fire plugs at the corner of Fifteenth street and Fifth avenue and Fifteenth and Collin streets one charge of drunkenness, a saddle reported stolen from a horse hitched on North Commerce street and two Gypsies who were plying the fortune teller's trade in the city. An auto collision was also reported.

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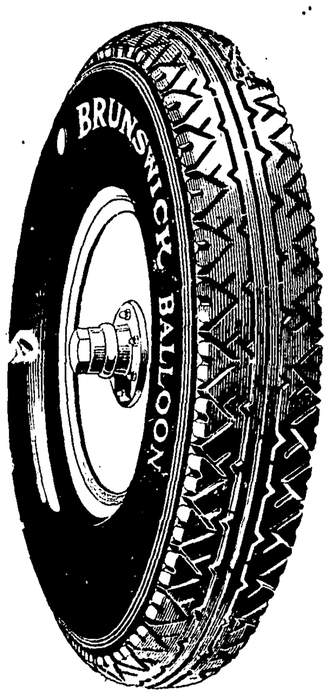

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FOUR GENERATIONS NAVARRO COUNTY AT BIRTHDAY DINNER

From left to right: Mrs. R. G. Moore, aged 76, of Barry; her son, W. A. Moore, aged 54, Barry; Mrs. Gatha Sanderson, daughter of W. A. Moore, aged 25, and her daughter, Dale, aged 5 years.

Special to the Sun.

Barry, Texas, Sept. 6. The relatives and friends of Grandma Moore assembled in the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. McCarty, on Thursday, Sept. 2, and surprised her with a birthday dinner, that being her seventy-sixth birthday.

Each one contributed something towards the dinner and the table fairly groaned under the weight of good edibles. Chickens, cooked in various ways; salads of all kinds, cakes and pies of every description. In fact, most everything to be thought of.

The table was decorated with pink and white. The large white cake with 76 pink candles held in as many rosebud holders, was a very beautiful sight, each guest, old and young, blowing out a candle with a good wish for the one in whose honor they had assembled. Four of her five children were present. W. A. Moore, of this community; Mrs. R. E. McCarty of Barry, Mrs. J. W. Hambrick of Albany, Ala., and Sam Moore of Frost. Dave Moore of Frost was detained on account of sickness in his family.

One brother, Sam Brumbley, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Tom Brumbley, of Frost, were also present.

Forty-seven in all were present, each one happy to do honor to one who has lived such a useful, consecrated life all these years past and each wishing that she may have many more birthdays.

The many tokens of remembrance showed the high esteem the friends and relatives held for her.

"Grandma" Moore, as everyone calls her, was born and reared in Mississippi and came to Texas about fifteen years ago. Since that time has divided the time with her children here and at Frost. She has made many friends at both places. She is a member of the M. E. church and a neighbor any community would be proud to boast of.

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT MADE TODAY ON CORN AND WHEAT

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 10.—With crops nearing harvest more definite indication of production this year was given today by the Department of Agriculture in its monthly report. September 1 conditions point to a corn crop of 2,697,872,000 bushels, compared with 2,576,936,000 bushels a month ago and 2,905,053,000 bushels last year.

Spring wheat indications are for 212,109,000 bushels, compared with 212,719,000 bushels a month ago and 270,875,000 bushels last year. The preliminary estimate of winter wheat placed production at 635,482,000 bushels, compared with 395,610,000 bushels last year.

Indications for other important crops with the August forecasts and last year's production include:

Oats, 1,263,619,000 bushels, compared with 1,311,159,000 last month and 1,511,888,000 last year.

White potatoes, 351,558,000, compared with 345,569,000 and 325,902,000.

Sweet potatoes, 78,701,000, compared with 73,130,000 and 62,494,000.

Rice, 39,267,000, compared with 40,542,000 and 24,259,000.

Peanuts, 671,045,000 pounds, compared with 651,768,000 and 694,075,000.

Notice.

My office has been removed to the seventh floor, State National Bank Building.

DR. TRIM HOUSTON.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

From Friday's Daily:

District Clerk's Office.

The following cases were filed:

John Dancy vs. the First National Bank of Corsicana, Texas, garnishee, in suit styled F. L. Peyton, Jr., et al vs. John Dancy et al, garnishment after judgment, transferred from 77th Judicial District Limestone county.

Bessie Turner vs. Wilson Turner, divorce.

Navarro County Levee Improvement District No. 8 vs. C. J. Hall, et al, taxes.

Mrs. Orris E. Simmons vs. Hall Francis Simmons and Jessie Elmore Simmons, partition of 149 acres T. J. Gordon survey; 74 acres Joseph Broyles survey and 176.2 acres L. M. Armstrong survey. The litigation involves a consideration of approximately $250,000, attorneys stated.

Navarro County Levee Improvement District No 8 vs E. M. Jones, taxes.

Justice Court.

One was fined by Judge Sullivan for alleged drunkenness.

Mineral Deeds.

O. A. Williams to C. E. Bounds and C. A. Gordon 1-8 interest in the 24.03 acres A. J. Joplin survey $67.50.

Warranty Deeds.

J. E. White et ux to Alba Anderson, parts of lots 1 and 2 block 15, Corsicana, $400.

C. A. Gordon et ux to C. O. Golightly, part of John Choate survey, $2,300.

Births.

Born, to Mr and Mrs R. L. Mosely, Eureka, August 25, a daughter.

MANY ADDITIONAL TEACHERS REGISTER COUNTY INSTITUTE

The following additional teachers registered their attendance at the annual Navarro county teachers institute held in the Corsicana High School last week:

Primary Department.

Bessie Niles, Fannie McAdams, Avis Nichols, Laurice Murphy, Ethleen Bennett, Mrs. Pearl Dorman, Una Adams, Josie Reid, Annie Gillespie, Mrs. F. S. Keathley, Mrs. Lee Sands, Lillian Ross, Hassie Arnett, Clorise Pope, Pattye Hobbs, Lois Hobbs, Mrs. Zadie Kerley, Kettie Bennett.

Intermediate Department.

Ina Leverette, Eva Manning, Mrs. Helen Miller, Mrs. Cleo Thornton Ross, Lola Miles, Ruby Wilson, Mary Price, Afton B. Guin, Lily Hall, Mrs. Dick Crouch, Janie Sheppard, Bennie Nussbaum, Ruby Goodman, Carrie O. Majors, Nola Gaines, Velma Brown, Ionia Howell, Mrs. E. H. Hightower, Mrs. B. K. Wells, Lucile Holsey, Ora Tennison, Ollie Sumners, Edith Williamson, Mattye Guinn, Letha Ingram, Clover South, E. C. Watson, O. S. Hellums, Blanche Slaughter, Fred Scoggins, Mary Guinn, Elizabeth Wheatley.

High School Department.

P. F. Fenley, Annie Maud Shaw, Inez Campbell, Mrs. Theresa H. Archibald, L. N. Price, H. A. Garland, M. B. Porter, J. A. Sands, S. V. McCage, Zillie Ma Reynolds, E. E. Jenkins, Beatrice Bass, L. J. Tanner, J. B. Lewis, Lela Bass, J. K. Brim, W. O. Griffin, Allen Sanders, H. R. Lively, Mrs. Maggie Beasonovres, Maggie Foster, R. L. Taylor, R. W. Marlin, J. R. Campbell, E. L. Brimberry, L. S. Jacks, Mrs. Mabel M. Boltz, Joe Tinney, C. E. Winn, M. V. Harrison, C. A. Steele, J. W. Varnell, R. L. Puckett, Jr., Katie V. Ware, R. E. Renfro, John M. Baker, Penelope Floyd, Hallie Simpson, Nettie Kelton, B. B. Sands, Elsie Brashear, J. J. Hendricks, T. A. Lively, Mildred Hardy, G. H. Bulin, Nettie Marie Ross, Edward L. Carroll, H. G. Chandler, C. R. Lowe, Joe Buckley.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grant, Corsicana, Sept. 1, a daughter.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. Lino Delrado, Purdon, August 18, a son.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. Willie A. Wood, Purdon, September 3, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willford Lee, Purdon, August 14, a daughter.

Born, to Mr and Mrs W. H. Manville, Purdon, August 21, a daughter.

WILD SCENE OF JOY ENACTED IN LEAGUE NATIONS ASSEMBLY

By Associated Press.

Geneva, Sept. 10.—Germany was received into the League of Nations today amid scenes of European reconciliation which in the fire of enthusiasm have been unexampled since the armistice.

Germany and France, through Foreign Ministers Stresmann and Briand, committed themselves to perpetual peace, and solemnly engaged the honor of their Nations henceforth never to draw the sword but to settle disputes by arbitration or compromise.

Three things stood out dramatically on this historic day. The first was Dr. Stressmann's picture of present day Germany as gripped only by lofty ideals, determined to dedicate her energies henceforth to international co-opration based on a high intellectual and moral plane. This spirit, he said, had entered into the very conscience of the German people.

The second feature was the remarkable oration of M. Briand, whose declaration that Germany and France have had enough glory in the past and need no further demonstration of heroism, and whose proclamation that the roar of guns had now been silenced, evoked tumultuous applause.

Union Jack is Waved.

The third outstanding incident was the scene of almost delirious jubilation throughout the vast auditorium, when Sir George Foster of Canada arose, as M. Briand was resuming his speech and, waving high the Union Jack, called for three cheers for France's eminent leader.

Instantly, every man and woman in the hall stood and joined in the uproar of applause which lasted several minutes and which seemed a spontaneous expression of joy that the two principal protagonists in the great war had sworn henceforth to abandon the use of arms and seek solution of all their difficulties in the peace atmosphere of the League of Nations.

"Faith will move mountains," M. Briand affirmed during his address. Both he and Dr. Stressmann admitted that many problems still awaited solution, but voiced the conviction that, by the exercise of good will and by realizing that the world has had enough of war, solution could be found.

Dr. Stresemann emphasized the importance of economic understanding among Nations ,saying the old order of things had passed and that the new economic life needed new forms of international co-operation which would give less importance to national boundaries.

Wants General Disarmament.

Recalling that the disarmament of Germany stipulated in the treaty of Versailles was proclaimed there as the precusor of general disarmament he voiced the hope that an advance would be made in that direction, thus affording proof that positive constructive forces existed in the League.

He appealed to Spain not to leave the League. Foreign Minister Briand said a real tangible step had been taken toward a new international understanding.

"Peace is the significance of this day," he added, "particularly for Germany and France. Today it is finished between us—no more war, no more seeking brutal, bloody solutions. Away with machine gun, cannon and rifles. The time has come for understanding and peaceful arbitration."

The French statesman promised that in the future "the work of the League will be carried on in broad day light, with the participation of all members."

Spain Expected to Quit.

By Associated Press.

Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 10.—French circles in Geneva today seemed to be preparing public opinion for the early arrival of the Spanish note of resignation from the League of Nations.

French representations have been made to Madrid by League leaders, but the French apparently fear that Spain will follow in the footsteps of Brazil as soon as the assembly takes final action on the reorganization of the League Council, in which Spain demands a permanent seat.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Sept. 10.—A Havas dispatch from Geneva says Spain has officially announced her withdrawal from the League of Nations.

By Associated Press.

London, Sept. 10.—Reuters Madrid correspondence confirms that the Spanish note of resignation from the League of Nations has been forwarded to Geneva.

ATLANTIC FLIGHT WILL START SOON SAYS RENE FONCK

By Associated Press.

Mineola, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Captain Rene Fonck, French ace, plans to take off from Roosevelt Field on his non-stop New York to Paris flight as soon after Thursday as weather conditions permit. The three-motored Sikorsky biplane S-35 is undergoing final tests for the trip.

Although Fonck has not announced who will go with him on the flight besides Lieutenant Allan P. Snody, alternate pilot, it is understood he has selected Alexender P. Kratish a Prussian as mechanic and Charles Cladier, a Frenchman, as radio operator.

HANSON OF BEAUMONT HITTING .468 IN TEXAS LEAGUE; JENKINS WICHITA FALLS REAL LEADER

Jenkins of Wichita Falls continued to hold his lead in the batting of Texas League players in over 100 games with .377 through Wednesday's games and only a phenomenal batting slump with a corresponding spree by his closest opponents in the last four days of the season could prevent him leading the league. An interesting phase of the individual batting is the final figure Hanson of Beaumont will reach, his average through Wednesday being .468 in 78 games. Turgeon of Wichita Falls with 130 runs has an apparently safe lead in this department over Gross, Dallas, 122. Miller, Dallas, with 29 home runs will probably finish in the lead, although Turgeon, Woeber, and Pratt are within reach. Flaskamper, San Antonio, leads in stolen bases with 27, Peel, Najo, and Turgeon having 21 each.

Beaumont seems assured of leading in club batting, runs, and hits. Wichita Falls in home runs, and San Antonio in stolen bases. Only two clubs are likely to finish with a .300 average. Schumann of Dallas has attained the best winning pitching percentage, largely by default, while Walkup, Fort Worth, Love, Dallas, and Owens, San Antonio, lead in games won, 21. Love's strike-out mark is now 215.

Connolly of Beaumont and Riley of Dallas crossed the .200 mark in hits last week. Club batting .300 hitters, and pitchers winning half or better of their games through Wednesday follow:

CLUB BATTING.

	G	AB	R	H	HR	SB	BA
Beaumont	157	5431	879	1698	104	68	.313
Wichita Falls	152	5224	855	1605	125	86	.307
Dallas	153	5117	824	1478	91	82	.289
Shreveport	153	5117	701	1398	77	53	.273
Houston	152	5193	723	1441	60	97	.278
San Antonio	151	4984	699	1362	92	103	.274
Fort Worth	151	5044	689	1375	58	41	.273
Waco	156	5102	682	1368	105	75	.268

BATTING.

	G	AB	R	H	HR	SB	BA
Hansen, Beaumont	78	173	31	81	7	2	.468
Ross, Wichita Falls	24	40	7	16	0	0	.400
Good, San Antonio	17	68	10	26	0	1	.382
Jenkins, Wichita Falls	108	438	81	165	17	9	.377
Phelan, Fort Worth-Shreveport	29	85	13	32	0	1	.371
R. Williams, Dallas	80	271	53	100	6	4	.369
L. Miller, Houston	64	202	37	95	8	2	.363
Oliver, Beaumont	141	543	88	194	7	7	.357
Hodge, Wichita Falls	26	45	6	16	1	0	.356
Dunning, Beaumont	147	522	102	182	11	12	.348
Jones, Beaumont	25	87	9	30	1	1	.345
West, Waco	120	465	80	158	16	5	.340
Bodie, Wichita Falls-San Antonio	144	500	84	172	14	3	.338
Phipps, San Antonio	41	142	20	48	0	0	.338
Galloway, Beaumont	142	535	104	179	21	8	.335
Riley, Dallas	153	609	85	203	10	8	.333
Kirve, Shreveport	105	410	59	136	3	4	.332
Metzger, Dallas-Wichita Falls	104	361	60	120	4	2	.332
Woeber, Dallas	133	449	109	149	24	2	.332
Peel, Houston	149	586	[illegible]	191	18	21	.326
Glass, Waco	30	83	9	27	1	2	.325
Lagan, Wichita Falls	105	330	56	107	12	5	.324
Scott, Fort Worth	130	445	85	144	7	2	.324
C. Miller, Dallas	140	506	117	162	29	8	.320
C. Robertson, Beaumont	112	335	36	107	2	2	.319
Kowalchik, Fort Worth	144	540	87	174	14	2	.317
Bonnafitz, Shreveport	134	485	58	152	7	7	.313
Connolly, Beaumont	153	654	103	205	6	4	.313
Gilley, Shreveport	81	293	44	91	5	4	.311
Powell, Waco	12	45	4	14	0	0	.311
Nano, San Antonio	82	290	60	90	2	21	.310
Powell, Houston	149	573	94	177	10	10	.309
Wirts, San Antonio	138	503	67	151	7	8	.308
Fitzgerald, Wichita Falls	73	280	48	86	7	4	.307
Pratt, Waco	149	538	91	165	23	3	.307
DeVieros, Beaumont	155	564	107	173	10	12	.307
Nason, Shreveport	40	125	16	38	3	4	.304
Lamb, Wichita Falls	137	558	81	170	14	8	.303
Benton, Shreveport-Wichita Falls	148	559	83	170	2	9	.302
Compton, Fort Worth	22	52	34	16	1	3	.302
Turgeon, Wichita Falls	152	605	130	183	25	21	.302
Rabbitt, San Antonio	135	521	86	157	3	10	.301
Brainerd, Wichita Falls-Dallas	151	594	95	178	15	15	.300

PITCHING.

	G	CG	IP	BB	SO	W	L	Pct.
Burleson, Beaumont	5	0	10	11	5	2	0	1000
J. Robertson, Beaumont	1	1	21	13	15	3	0	1000
Caldwell, Waco	3	1	12	7	9	2	0	1000
Cooks, Dallas	9	1	53	8	10	1	0	1000
Sullivan, Fort Worth	3	1	18	3	6	1	0	1000
Schumann, Dallas	39	12	192	61	80	16	5	.762
Hunter, Dallas	21	9	120	69	57	12	5	.706
Watt, San Antonio	45	17	254	85	85	20	6	.690
Love, Dallas	47	23	280	99	215	21	10	.677
Walkup, Fort Worth	37	19	260	45	70	21	11	.656
Roberts, Wichita Falls	31	12	173	63	70	15	8	.652
Fillingim, Beaumont	30	14	202	73	56	14	8	.636
Kerr, Fort Worth	14	8	86	32	21	6	4	.600
Owens, San Antonio	55	21	287	71	112	31	14	.600
Pence, Dallas	18	7	110	59	50	6	4	.600
Shankenship, Shreveport	48	19	231	77	73	16	11	.593
Hadlen, Waco	42	19	212	64	79	16	11	.593
Fayney, Beaumont	30	8	146	76	47	10	7	.588
Riviere, Dallas	31	14	204	62	80	14	10	.583
Adkins, Shreveport	48	25	279	110	81	19	14	.576
Ross, Wichita Falls	24	4	114	43	29	4	3	.571
Henson, Beaumont	30	10	148	52	40	10	8	.556
Bird, Fort Worth	19	6	97	32	16	5	4	.556
Head, Fort Worth	27	4	115	46	42	6	5	.545
Williams, Wichita Falls	22	9	144	45	36	6	5	.545
Lindsey, San Antonio	38	7	198	84	79	13	11	.542
Jacobus, Houston	39	14	220	93	99	15	13	.536
Barnabe, Shreveport	35	24	250	58	112	17	15	.531
Barnes, Houston	27	10	106	51	42	9	8	.529
Hovlik, Beaumont	29	12	150	50	50	9	8	.529
Ross, Beaumont	30	10	182	69	77	10	9	.526
Russell, Wichita Falls	34	14	178	74	79	11	10	.524
Couchman, San Antonio	30	22	247	92	49	15	14	.517
Penner, Houston	44	19	209	91	119	16	15	.516
Estell, Dallas-Wichita Falls	40	22	248	79	82	16	15	.516
Ellison, Waco	18	1	62	30	17	2	2	.500
Perry, Dallas	6	1	21	9	1	2	2	.500
Freeze, Waco	26	7	115	64	32	7	7	.500
Kohlenberg, Houston	5	1	25	15	10	1	1	.500

THREE REPUBLICAN SENATORS SUCCESSFUL IN CAMPAIGN FOR RENOMINATION; ONE HAS LOST

By Associated Press.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 8.—Trailing by more than 17,000 votes with only 700 precincts to be heard from United States Senator Irvine L. Lenroot today conceded his defeat for the Republican nomination at the hands of Governor John J. Blaine, progressive and declared he would abide by the decision.

From his home in Superior Senator Lenroot, administration leader in the successfuld World Court fight in the Senate and a member of Congress for 17 years, issued a statement when returns showed that his causse was lost.

"The primary settled the Senatorship so far as I am personally concerned, although I shall not support Governor Blaine," declared Mr. Lenroot in his statement. "I could not do so with any self-respect."

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Renomination of three Republican Senators and defeat of a fourth—Senator Irvine L. Lenroot leader of the administration's successful fight for adhesion to the World Court—was indicated today on the basis of incomplete returns from the primaries of yesterday in Nevada, Arizona, Wisconsin and New Hampshire.

In Wisconsin, the results of a struggle between Senator Lenroot and the LaFollette forces showed that the incumbent was more than 10,000 votes behind his opponent, Governor John J. Blaine, late returns from Milwaukee county having overcome the earlier lead established by Senator Lenroot.

In the Republican gubernatorial race, Fred R. Zimmerman, Secretary of State and anti-Blaine progressive, led Attorney General Herman L. Ekern, who had the support of the LaFollette group.

Senator George H. Moses, president pro-tempore of the Senate was well ahead of former Governor Robert P. Bass in New Hampshire.

On incomplete returns from ten of the 17 counties in Nevada Senator Tasker L. Oddie, World Court advocate, was leading Mayor E. E. Robertson, Reno, by a ratio of two to one. Ray T. Baker, former Director of the Mint was well ahead in the Democratic senatorial race.

Ralph Cameron was unopposed for the Republican nomination in Arizona, Representative Carl Hayden was leading Charles Ruther-Democratic nomination.

ford, Phoenix attorney, for the

LOREE MERGER PLAN OPPOSED MINORITY OF STOCKHOLDERS

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Opposition to the plan of L. F. Loree to consolidate the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad with the Missouri, Kansas and Texas and Kansas City Southern was presented to the Interstate Commerce Commission today by minority stockholders of the St. Louis Southwestern.

Walter E. Meyer of New York City, acting for the minority group, filed a petition asserting that the grouping of the three companies would be against public interests, would not make for increased efficiency, would confirm an unduly concentrated control of the railroad and would reduce railroad competition to the Southwest.

The Loree proposal was said to contravene the tentative railroad consolidation plan of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and it was declared the St. Louis Southwestern if left independent would be able to maintain a profitable status and pay dividends.

The Sick and Convalescent.

Wilson Taylor, who has been ill in the County Hospital, is progressing fairly well today. His condition continues very serious, however.

Mrs. Will McCorkle underwent a major operation at the Navarro county hospital Monday morning and was later taken to her home.

Mrs. D. M. Crews, who was operated on for appendicitis September 3, in the Baylor hospital in Waco has been very low, but reports from Waco today are that her condition is somewhat improved. Mrs. Crews is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Conner, of Corsicana.

CENTRAL WEST WAS AGAIN VICTIM RAIN ELECTRICAL STORMS

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—The Central West counted seven deaths and guessed at millions in property and crop loss today in the flooded wake of the third visitation within ten days by storms of equinoxial fury.

Industry and agriculture were at a standstill in many localities, paralyzed into complete inactivity by floods which swept fields and factories alike.

In Central Indiana and Illinois the torrential rain and lightning were more damaging in their effect than last week's storms, from which a broad area from Ohio to Nebraska was only beginning to recover the fresh onslaught.

The fear today was of swollen streams, freshened by torrents draining inundated territory miles from the principal outlets.

At Terre Haute, Ind., conditions were the most serious since the disastrous flood of 1913. The 7.35 inches of rain at Mattoon, Ills., was the heaviest fall since 1907 and Jacksonville, Ills., recorded eight inches of rain for the first flood in its history.

Throughout entral Illinois hundreds of automobile tourists were marooned, cut off by submerged highways or weakened bridges. Railroad service was impaired by washed out trackage and bridges and in some sections was not attempted.

There were little more than estimates on the cumulative loss to agriculture but they ran well into the millions.

Three of the four storm deaths in Illinois were from electrocution. The others were a Missouri farmer and his two small children by drowning.

TWENTY THOUSAND HOUSES SUBMERGED IN JAPANESE CITY

By Associated Press.

Tokyo, Sept. 11.—Reports to the Vernacular newspapers today from Hiroshima say that a severe rainstorm flooded the city, submerging 20,000 houses. Twenty persons are reported dead and a number injured and missing.

Railway communication between Kobe and Shimonoseki has been suspended as several bridges were swept out and numerous landslides occurred. The city is described in the dispatches as "a sea of swirling mud." Most of the telegraph and telephone lines in the region are down and news of the disaster is extremely meagre.

LEGION LISTENS NOMINEE GOVERNOR AMARILLO MEETING

By Associated Press.

Amarillo, Texas, Sept. 10.—As the smoke cleared away from the Legion convention arena as the boxing bill argument was disposed of, the World War veterans of Texas prepared to hear Dan Moody Democratic nominee for governor, and a Legionnaire, in the principal address of the day.

Moody is the guest here of Sloan Krliser, a boyhood friend, and owner of the famous Jy Ranch on which was the only 100 per cent Moody ballot box in the run off primary. All twelve votes cast at the Jy were for Moody.

The Democrats' choice for governor was the final speaker at the morning session. The Legionnaires late yesterday adopted a resolution urging the return of legalized boxing to Texas under proper supervision. The action came after a bitter fight on the convention floor.

Election of officers, both of the State department and the State women's auxiliary, will close the three day convention late today.

Opposition to the proposed national convention of the American Legion in France next year, was disposed of in quick order, when a resolution raising the subject was read by the chairman of the resolutions committee.

The committee had adopted a resolution which, if adopted by the convention would have placed the Texas Department on record as taking no part in the opposition which has developed to the proposed trip, and willing to abide by the decision of the National contion in Philadelphia next month.

A motion to table was made which brought W. J. Ater, chairman of the department France committee, to his feet to discuss the matter. But a clever parliamentary move by Leonard Whittington of Fort Worth shut off without discussion any objections that might have been made by opponents when he insisted that a vote be taken on the motion to table upon which no discussion could be made. The vote was ordered and the proponents of the resolution won by a substantial majority. Immediately Whittington moved to adopt the resolution which was speedily done and any chance for ortorical fireworks over the resolution was completely shut off.

Additional resolutions were:

1. Authorizing of service bars to be attached to badges worn at State conventions signifying the delegate's attendance.

2. That the Legislature provide adequate laws providing penalties for failure to display the American flag on all school buildings, and money to enable purchase of such flags.

Also that the National flag and the flag of Texas be flown from all public buildings.

3. That the citizenship of the State lend assistance to proper government and State officials in the enforcement of laws."

Cheers greeted Moody as he was escorted to the convention platform. Both Moody and Congressman Tom Connally, who preceded him, were frequently interrupted during their addresses by cheers from the audience.

FIFTY-FIRST WEDDING DAY DRESDEN COUPLE CELEBRATED

MR. AND MRS. J. E. MELTON

On Saturday, August 14, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melton of Dresden, celebrated their fifty-first wedding anniversary with a picnic at the Dresden tabernacle. They were honored by the presence of all their children, grand-children and immediate friends, excepting four grandchildren of Hedley, Texas. A large and appetizing feast was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton have trodden this world of joys and sorrows, hand in hand, for fifty-one years, each sharing the other's joys or sorrows. We hope they will spend many more years together, happily. Mr. Melton is seventy-five years old and Mrs. Melton is seventy-three.

They are the parents of a large family of thirteen children. Seven living and six dead. Those living are: Mr. Zack Melton of Raleigh and Messrs. Grover, Ben and Johnnie Melton, all of Dresden; Mrs. L. McMallan of Corsicana, Mrs. R. Mobley of Hedley and Mrs. Britt Turner of Tuscola.

They have twenty-five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Written by FRIENDS.

FATHER FILM STAR DEMANDS INTEREST CHILD'S EARNINGS

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Sept. 13.—J. Homer Reilly, father of Mary Miles Minter, and former husband of Pearl Miles Reilly, better known as Charlotte Shelby, has announced through his attorneys that a complaint in equity would be filed in Federal court here today to obtain an accounting and a share of the fortune earned by the actress during the time she was a film star. The father asks for half the amount named in the audit. The sum involved is said to exceed $1,500,000.

A legal fight over Miss Minter's fortune was precipitated when the actress filed suit here in January of last year, demanding an accounting of the money which she says she earned while a minor and which her mother is alleged to have received as her guardian.

Cotton Receipts.

The Corsicana Warehouse had weighed 438 bales of cotton up to 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Judge Warren Hicks spent Saturday afternoon in Dallas.

Jim Hagle of Winkler was in Corsicana Monday.

Miss Beuma Dill was a Dallas visitor Saturday afternoon.

Notice.

For the benefit of the Younger Cemetery, there will be an ice cream supper at Silver City, two miles north of Purdon, Friday night, Sept. 17th. Everybody invited. - COMMITTEE.

Former Marshal Hawaii Dead.

Honolulu, Sept. 13.—Charles B. Wilson, who was Marshal of the Kingdom of Hawaii under the reign of Queen Liliuokalani and figured prominently in diplomatic affairs having to do with the overthrow of the kingdom, died here Sunday.

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